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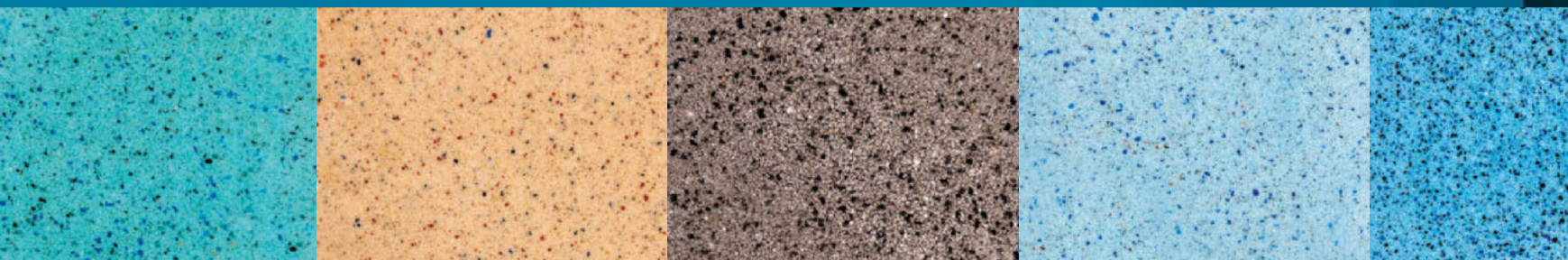

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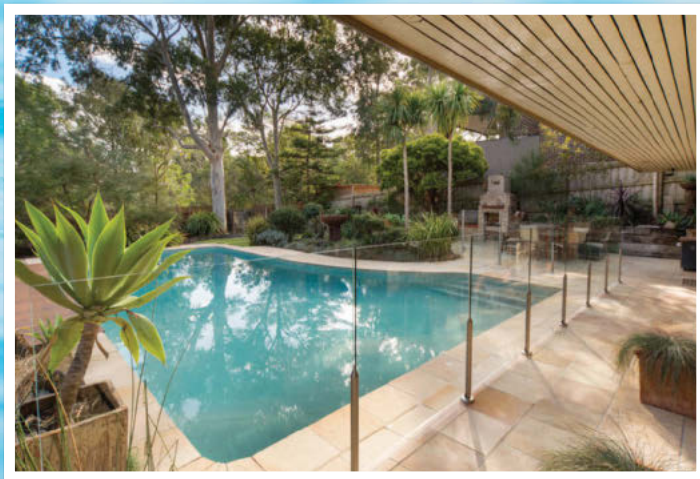


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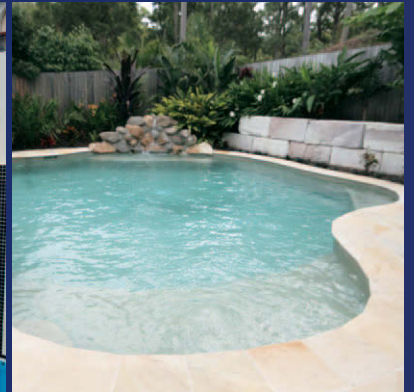
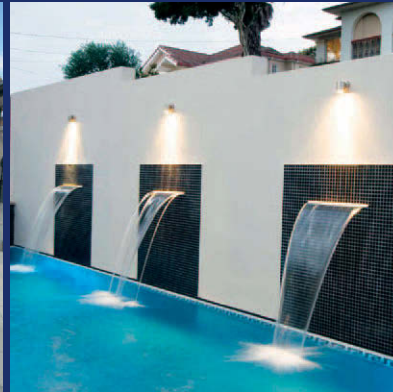
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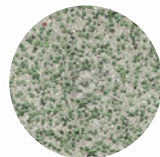


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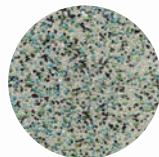


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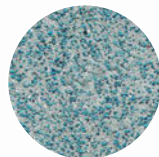
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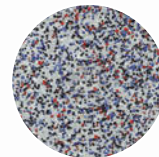
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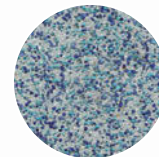
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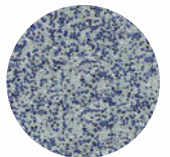
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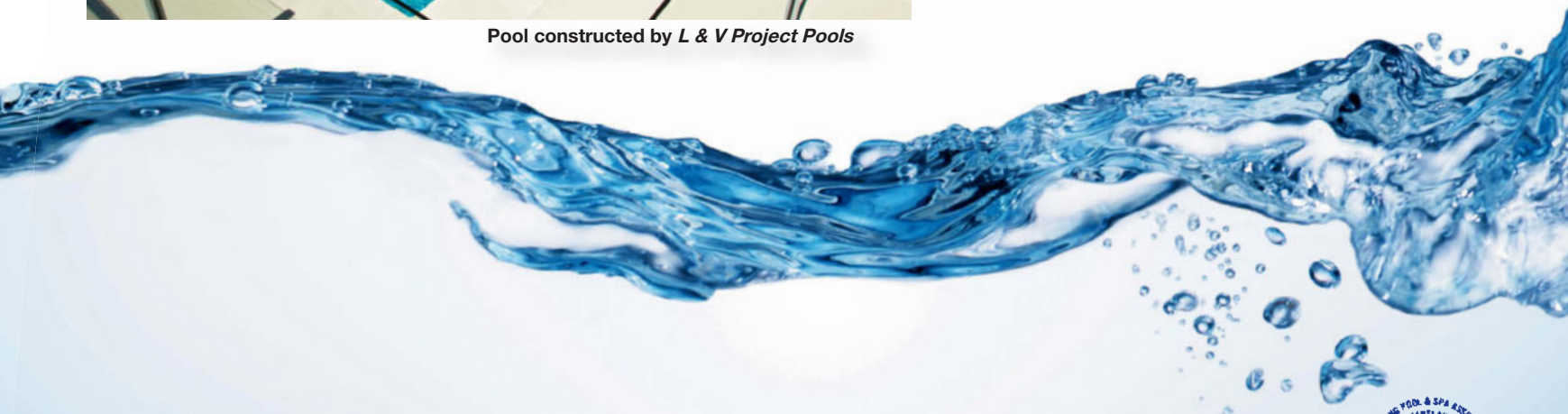
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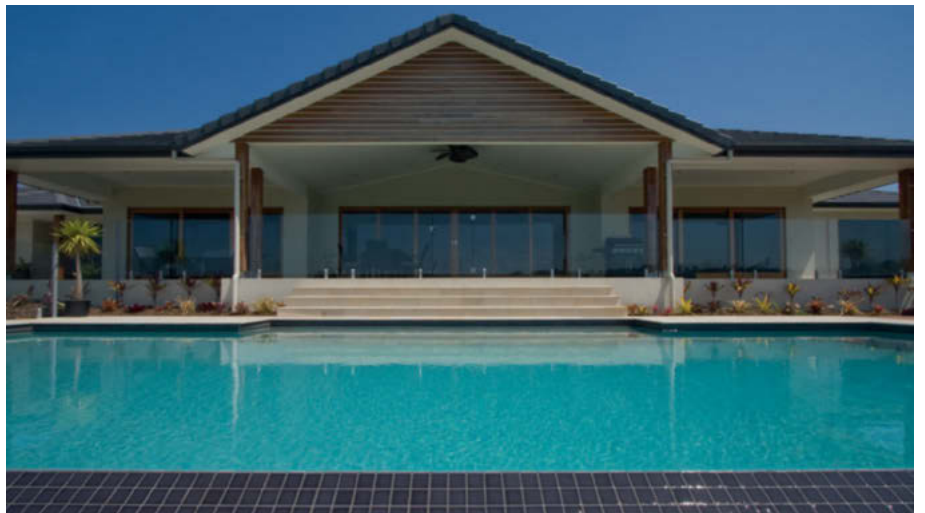


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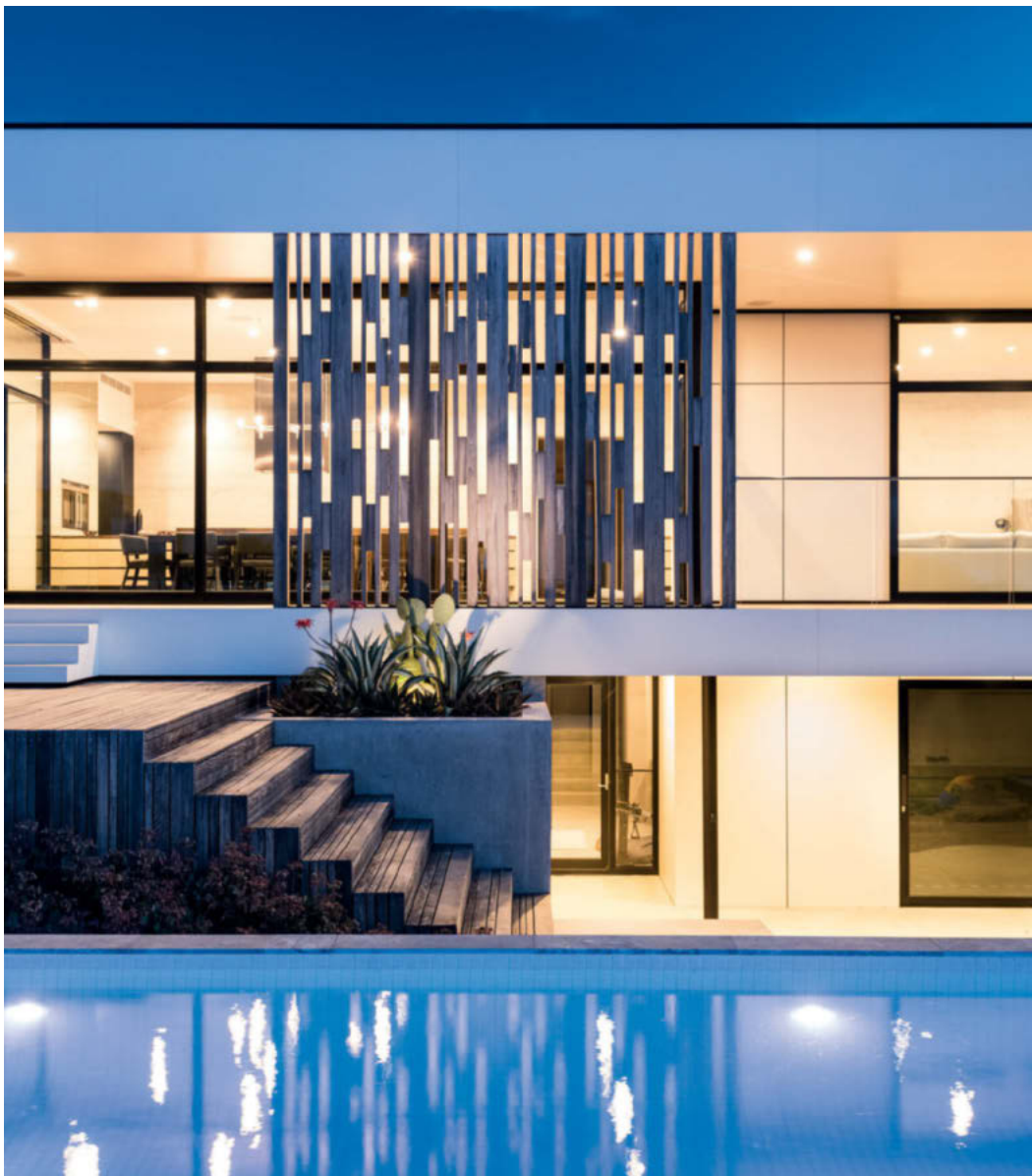
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With space at a premium, homeowners, landscape architects and pool builders are more conscious of getting the pool right with clever design and layout. Homeowners are also more willing to invest more capital per square metre into their smaller pools, opting for high-quality finishes like gorgeous tiles, infinity edges and transparent walls.

We've packed this issue full of great space-saving ideas for small backyards and courtyards, from a narrow pool positioned down the side of a home (page 60) and a wrap-around pool that hugs the corner of the home (page 68) to a pool built right on the boundary (page 106). Happy swimming!

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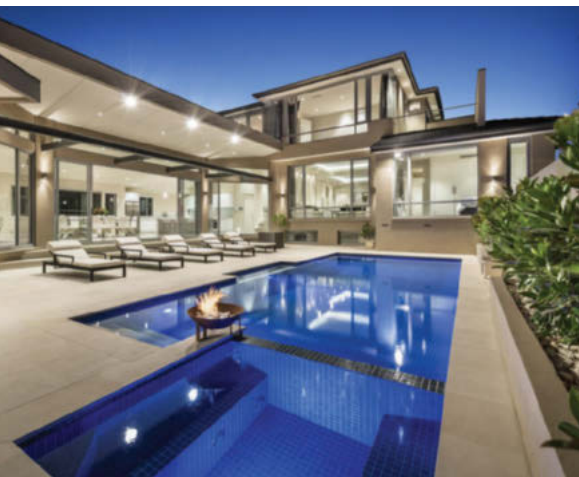
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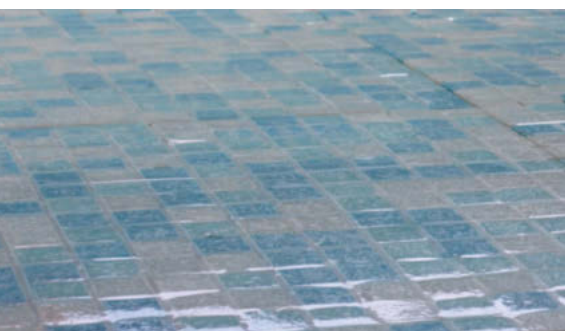
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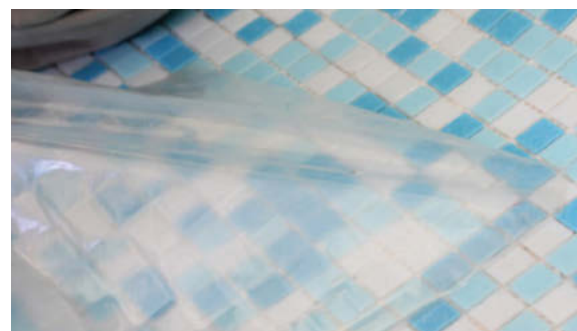




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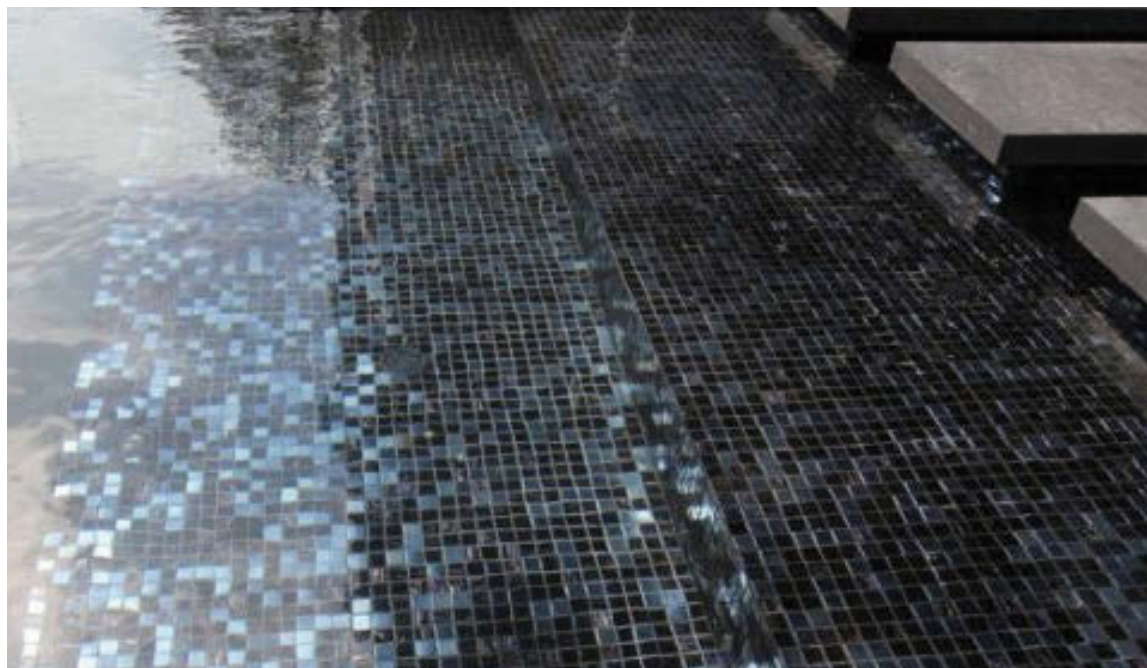
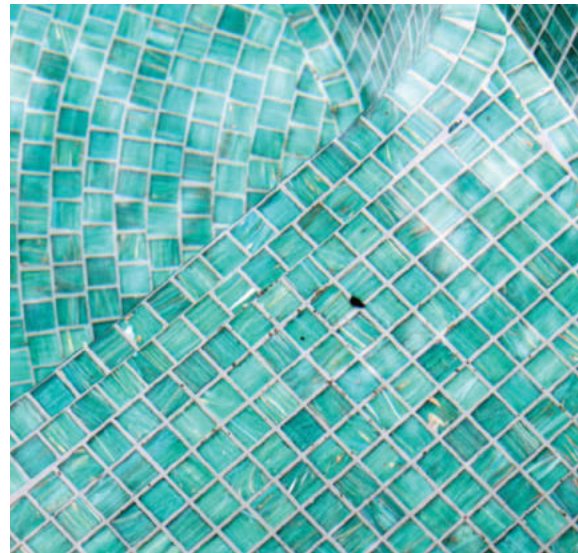
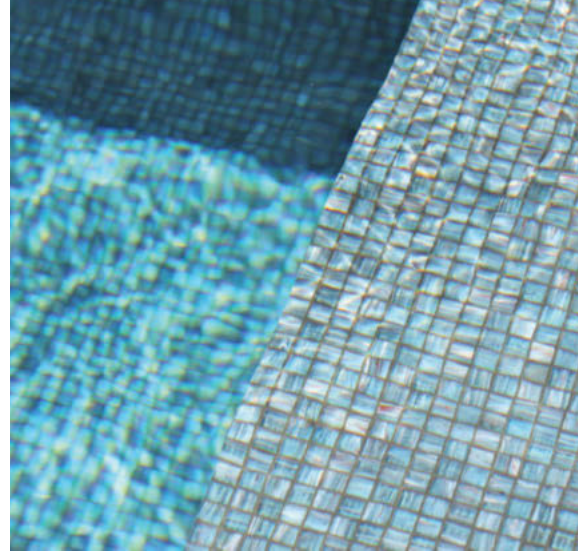
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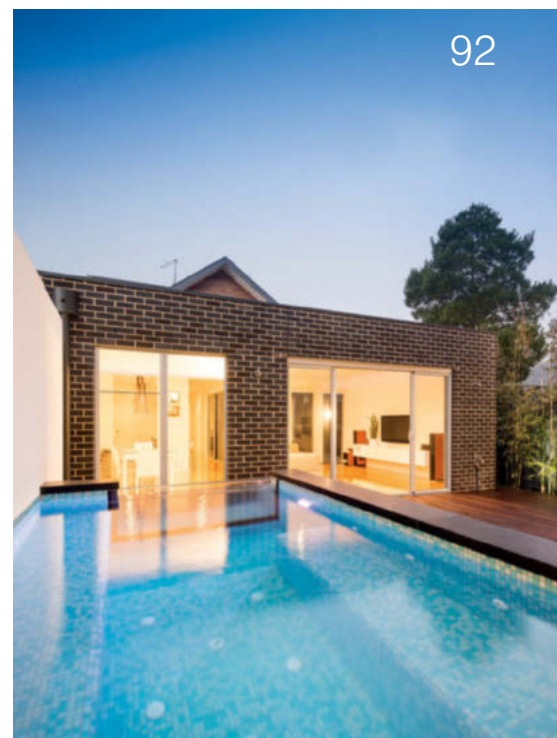
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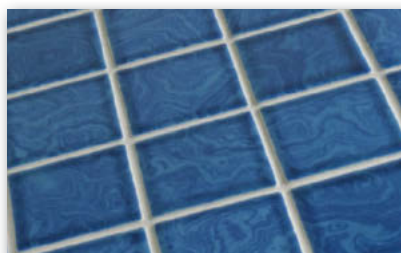
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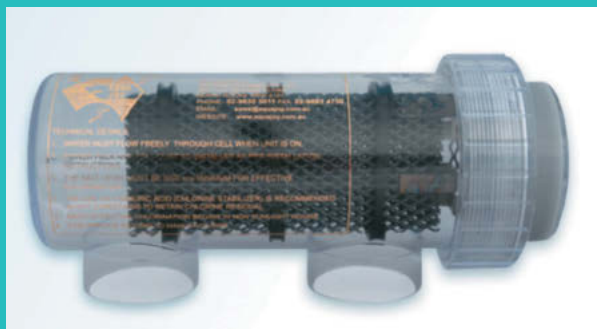
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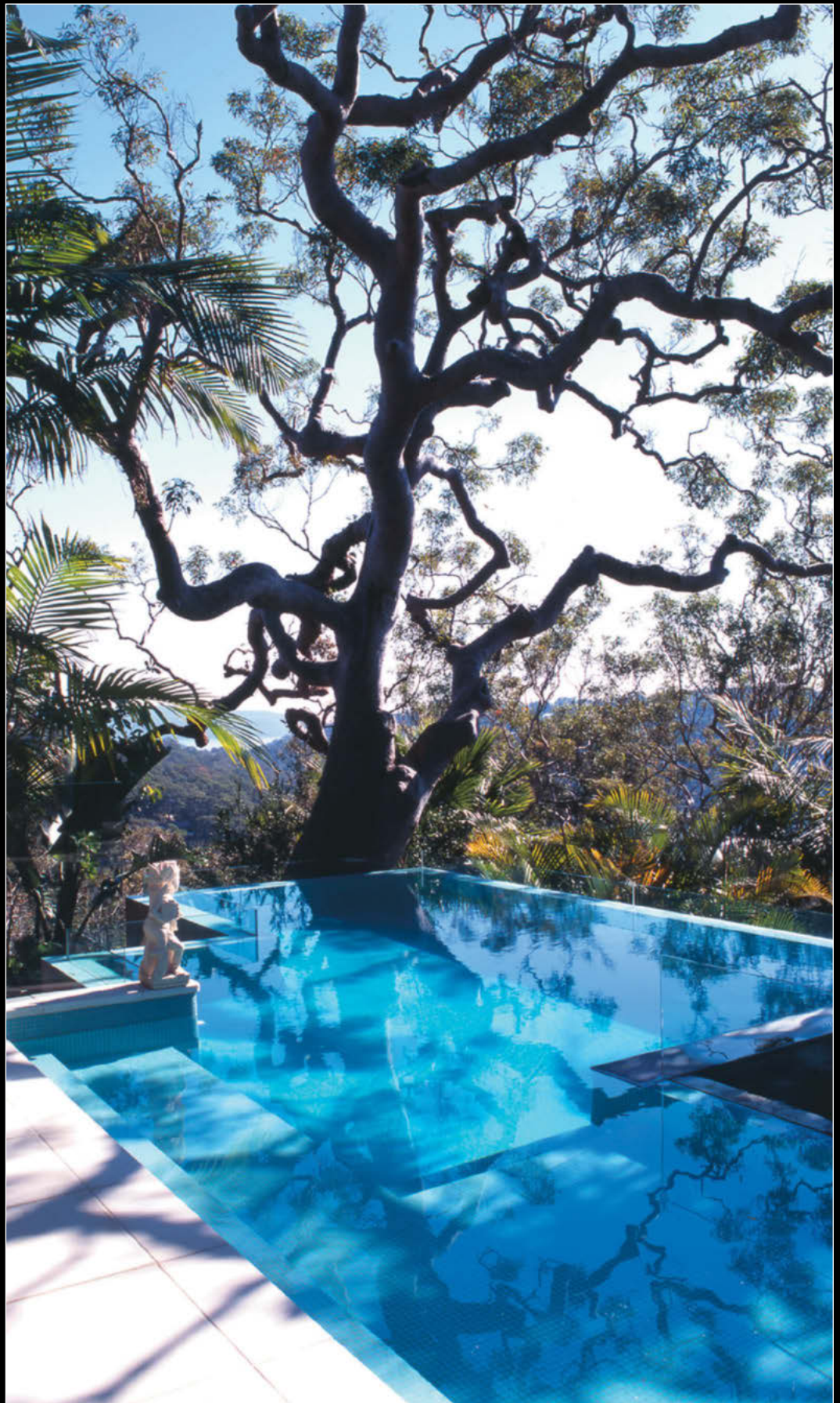
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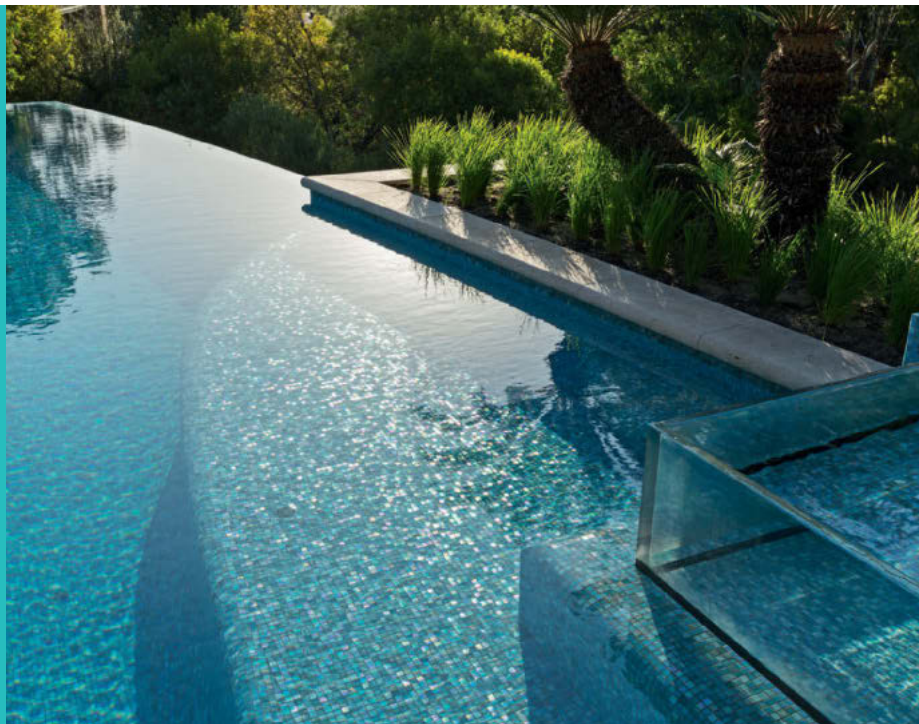
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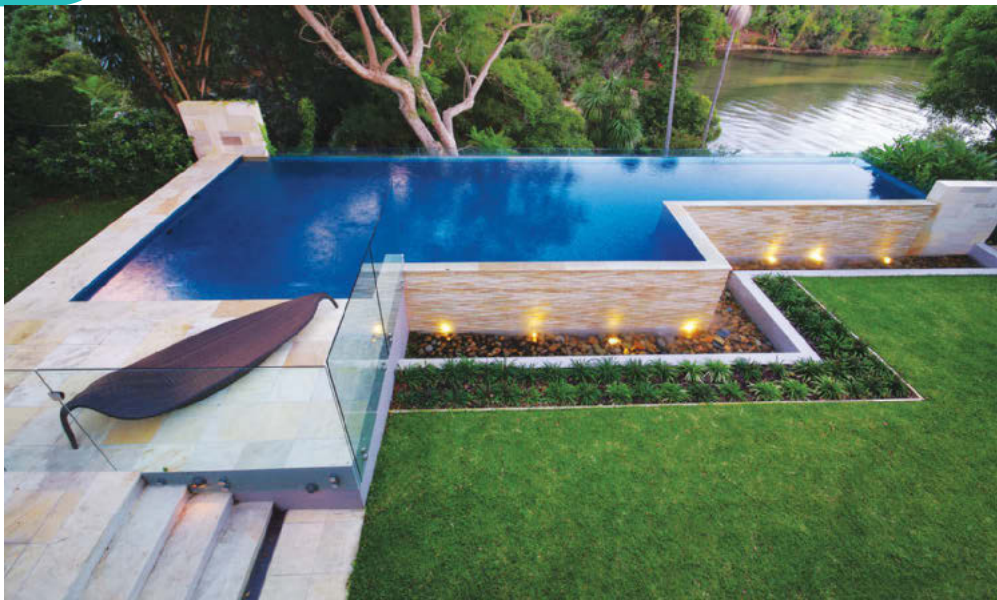
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BATTLE OVER NEW LAWS REGARDING INFINITY-EDGE POOLS IN NSW

Peter Glass, managing director of Peter Glass & Associates, Australia's longest-established and most-experienced landscape architectural and pool design company, is continuing his battle with the NSW government on behalf of members of the pool and landscape Design and construction industry.

"The concern is over what I, and the industry in general, consider to be a dangerous and unacceptable change to pool fencing laws — a change that is purely political, was never discussed with industry stakeholders (as is required by law) and has nothing at all to do with the safety of children, despite the government's attempts to pretend otherwise," Peter explains. The change was imposed in the May 2013 edition of the Building Code of Australia (BCA), in direct response to and contravention of the 2012 Australian Standard for Pool Barriers. The change relates to the banning of out-of-ground pool walls of infinity-edge and similar pools, unless additional fencing is installed

in front of the already-complying pool wall. Apart from all of the other concerns, this change imposes a huge and unnecessary financial burden on the pool owner.

"This change of law, which prohibits the use of out-of-ground pool walls as part of the pool barrier, makes NSW the only place in the world where these walls cannot be used as part of the pool barrier," says Peter. "The change of law will now actually compromise the safety of children in many circumstances, by removing the 'no climb zone' that the Australian Standard (and common sense) requires." There are also concerns that the retrospective potential of this law will affect some of the 20,000 or so existing infinity-edge and glass-edge pools in NSW — which the prior minister for local government suggested were "probably never legal anyway".

Peter has the full support of numerous industry-wide organisations and individuals with regard to this matter, including the Australian Institute of Landscape Architects

and Australian Institute of Architects (which Peter Glass is personally representing) plus numerous pool builders, engineers, certifiers, town planners and other building professionals. Even the pool fencing industry, which directly benefits from the change, feels that the additional fencing is wasteful and confusing.

Peter feels so strongly about what he considers to be dishonesty and bureaucratic mismanagement by the NSW government that he recently engaged one of Australia's leading barristers to provide an expert opinion on this matter, which Peter will then present to the industry and to the state government.

Peter can be contacted in relation to this matter via his website peterglass.com.au or by email pglass@peterglass.com.au. He is especially interested to hear from anyone who has already encountered compliance issues regarding the above, or who is interested in contributing to a fighting fund.



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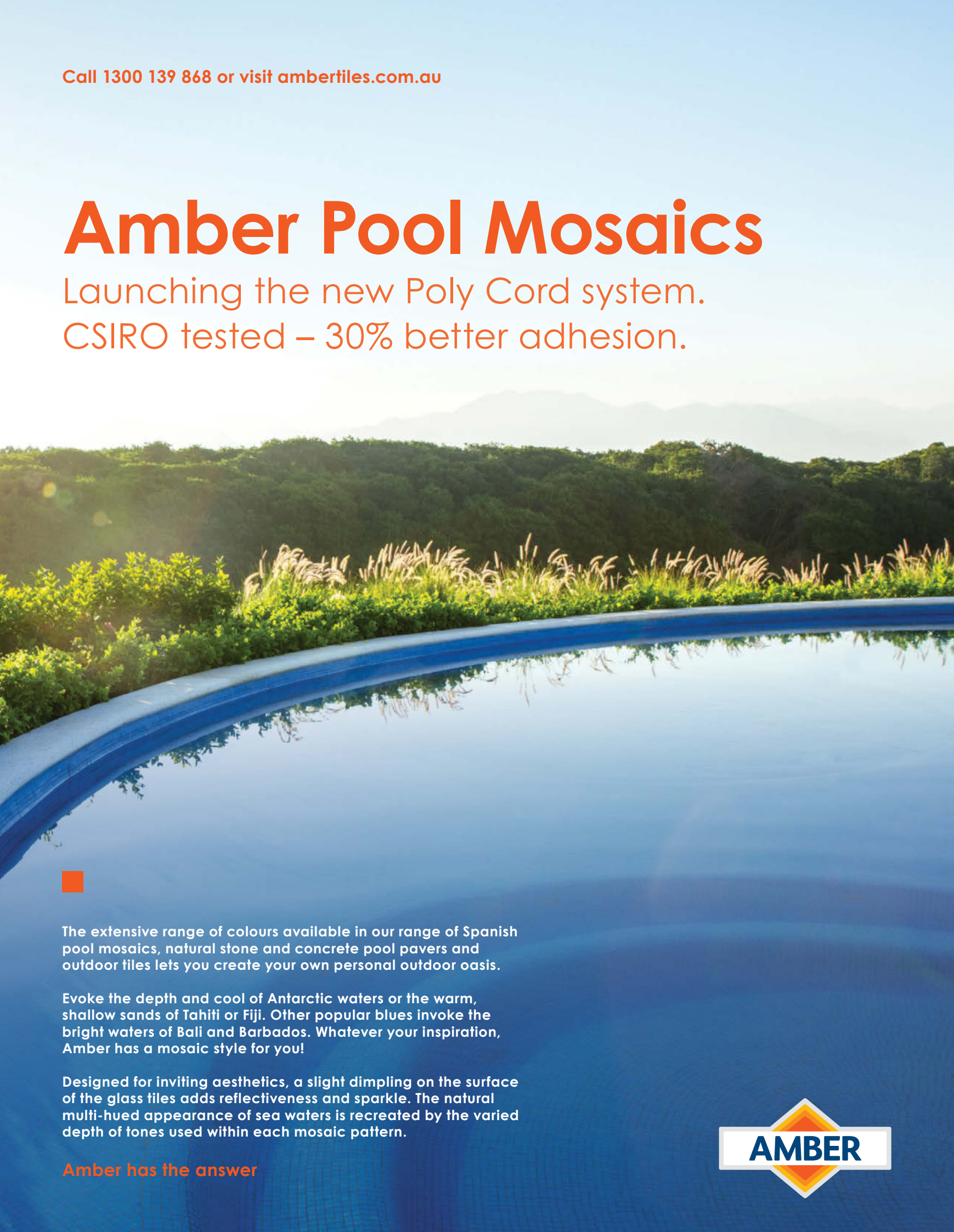
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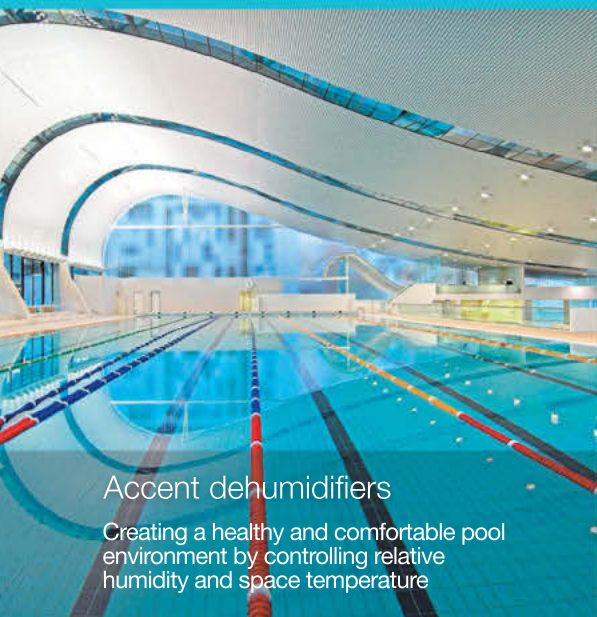
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Small space, big ideas

A SMALL POOL CAN FIT PERFECTLY IN ANY BACKYARD OR COURTYARD, REGARDLESS OF ITS SIZE

Written with John Storch of A Total Concept
As urban consolidation continues, it is becoming more common for landscape architects to be called in to consult on small space areas, and to design

them in such a way as to ensure that all available space contributes to the overall appearance and function of the property. Designing these small spaces is substantially more difficult than large space design; not only do you have less space than

in a large garden to hide the utility functions that are necessary for everyday life, such as the garbage bins, clothesline, storage areas and pool equipment, but there is also less space available to develop the mood and style of the courtyard and to create the

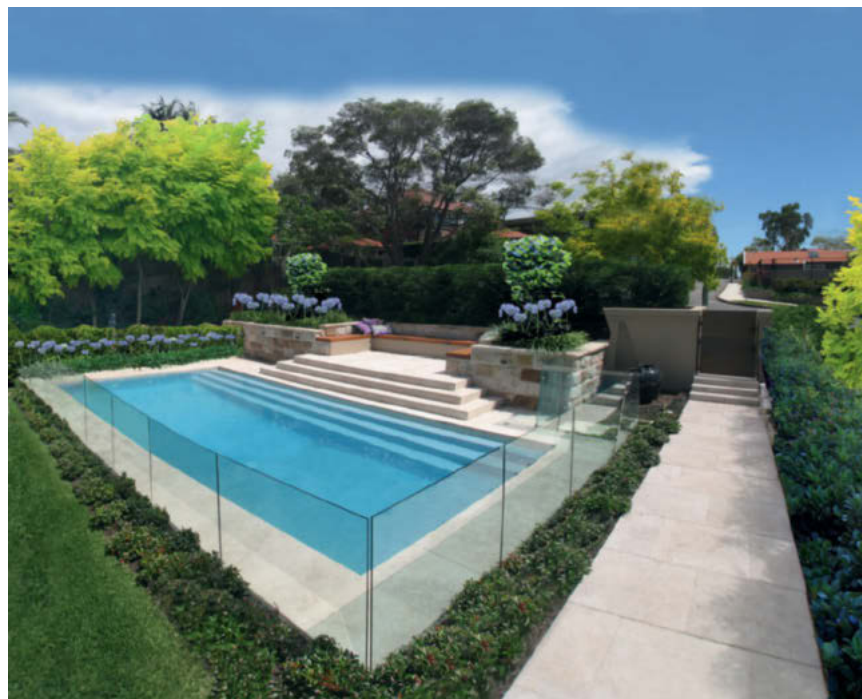


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overall appeal of the space. If a design line is wrong, it is obvious. In larger areas, however, plants and other components may hide the mistakes.

“A lot of thinking outside of the square is involved to cost-effectively produce a high-quality product for the small space,” says John Storch of A Total Concept Landscape Architects and Pool Designers. “In my opinion, small space design is personally the most fulfilling of all landscape designs. It requires intensive design precision and very careful attention to detail. Small gardens and courtyards must be designed and constructed very precisely.”

As space is at a premium in these areas, a plunge pool or spa, a stunning accent plant, a beautiful glazed ceramic pot or a water feature that is not positioned or designed perfectly will always indicate to the observer that something is not quite right, although rarely will most people be able to pinpoint the reason.



SMALL POOL DESIGN TIPS

- Clean, simple lines and functions will work best; cluttered designs don't work well for small spaces or for plunge pool design.
- A pool in a small space can be designed to double as a water feature to act as a focal point. Examples include falling water over textured rock surfaces, stacked slates or stainless steel, or at night time the addition of lights.
- Use either dark colours in small pools to make bold statements or washed-out colours to blend the pool into the overall garden and give it the illusion of space. Mid-range blues are very popular with traditional pools but seem to lose effect in small spaces.
- Wet edges to bring the water level of the pool up to the same level of the coping (allowing the water to flow out of the pool to be recirculated through grates) extend the illusion of space in a small area.
- Seats and benches in more traditional pools tend to run along one side. For a more social configuration in smaller plunge pools, the seats should be positioned on two edges to form a corner so people can sit facing each other.
- Swim jets increase the useability of the smaller pool by allowing endless swimming exercise.

Not all small courtyards or gardens are the result of city living. Sometimes, larger-residence gardens are split into smaller components to create various outdoor rooms. This sometimes allows for a series of different themes to be used in the one project; a water courtyard, a formal courtyard or a secluded swimming pool and cabana can all be incorporated in one large project to stimulate as you travel through each area.

SMALL POOLS

“What people are starting to become aware of is that the length or size of the pool is not really important,” says John. “When children are young, say up to the age of six, they tend to be limited to the shallow pool steps and pool benches or to mum's lap, so the size of the pool is irrelevant. Children between six and teenage years tend to swim, racing each other up and down and playing pool games, so the size of the pool may have more relevance at this time. Adults and families with older teenage children tend to utilise the benches and seats for relaxing, having a drink and socialising, or simply jumping in the pool to cool off on a hot summer's day. So a larger pool size is only really used by children for a limited time.”

There are numerous styles for small pools, including plunge pools, lap pools, courtyard pools, swim spas with swim jets and oversized spas. Small pool design is becoming less complicated, with people opting to use straight,



clean lines and monochromatic colours rather than multiple shapes and mixes. “People are spending more money to achieve the ‘wow’ factor in the finer detail rather than in the size of the project,” explains John. “We’ve been doing a lot with chunky square edges to create shadowlines around small pools, using some unusual coloured micrograin interiors and creating entertaining and relaxation areas with paving alternatives.”

A Total Concept is an established award-winning design practice covering the integration of internal and external areas for projects ranging from simple family homes and elaborate residential properties to boutique and resort-style developments. The company provides services extending from consultations, designs and specifications, council

SMALL SPACE DESIGN 101

- Keep it simple. Clean simple lines and a minimalist approach to design will always provide the illusion of space more than a busy appearance.
- Less is best. Several large pots or planter boxes will look less cluttered than numerous small ones.
- Integrate and unify the small outdoor space as an extension of the home by thematically linking a courtyard to the indoors. To establish this link, use similar colours on walls, similar paving materials and similar decorations both inside and out.
- Light-coloured paving, plants and walls along with mirrors, upright plants and layering of plants will create an impression of greater space. On the other hand, a brightly coloured wall, plant or sculpture will help draw the eye to a feature but may shrink the space.
- Consider the perimeter and corners for planting in a small garden. If a tree or feature was positioned in the centre of a small space, it would affect the usability of the space for relaxing or entertaining.
- Don’t overdo the garden art. One sculpture or water feature is more than enough for the average small outdoor area. Unless you intend to update the feature regularly, ensure you select something timeless.
- Paving patterns can change the focus of a courtyard. A circular pattern may focus the paving inwards, diagonal lines may be used to extend the space outwards and increase the apparent size.
- Lighting is very important in small space design. Consider both functional and mood lighting. Ensure that lights are placed in locations that are high enough so you don’t look directly into them when in the courtyard.
- In small courtyards be aware that flowers with strong red, yellow or orange colors tend to “advance” towards you, thus shrinking a courtyard. Soft tones such as blue, purple and grey recede and are not as dominant.
- There are numerous styles for small pools including plunge pools, lapping pools, courtyard pools, swim spas with swim jets and oversized spas. Maximise their use by ensuring they serve as water features too in small space design.

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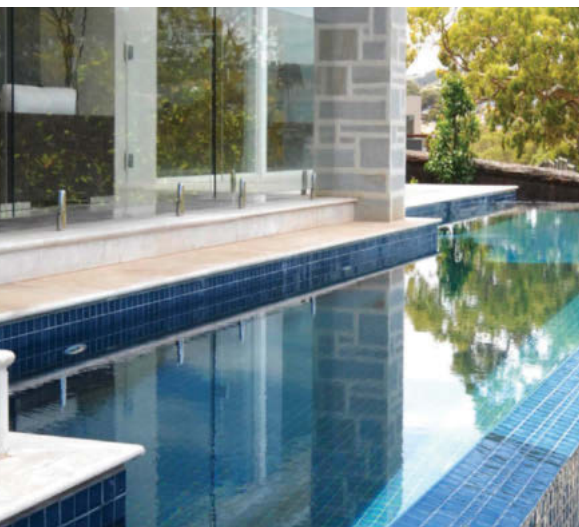


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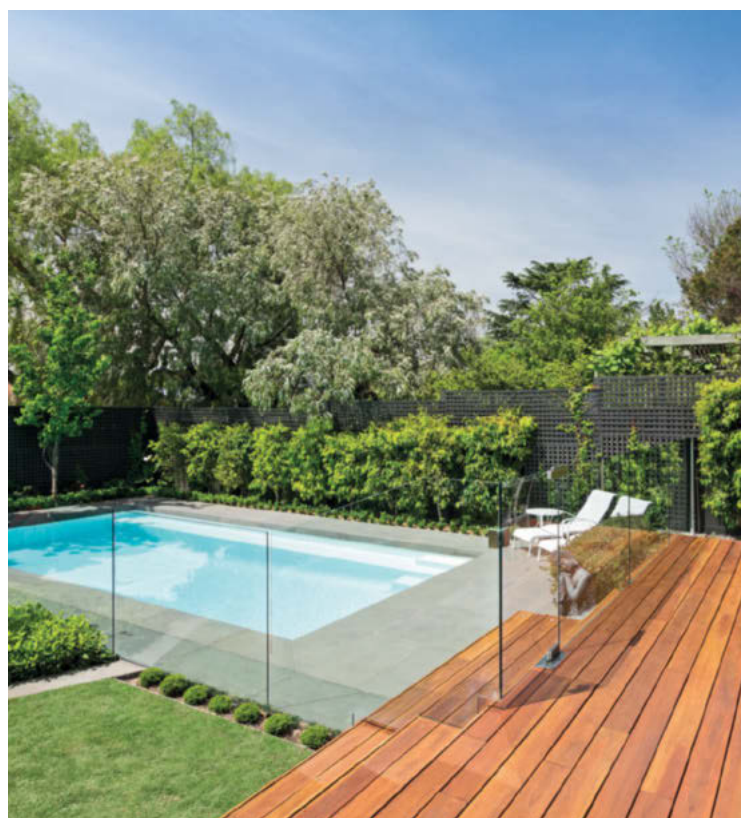
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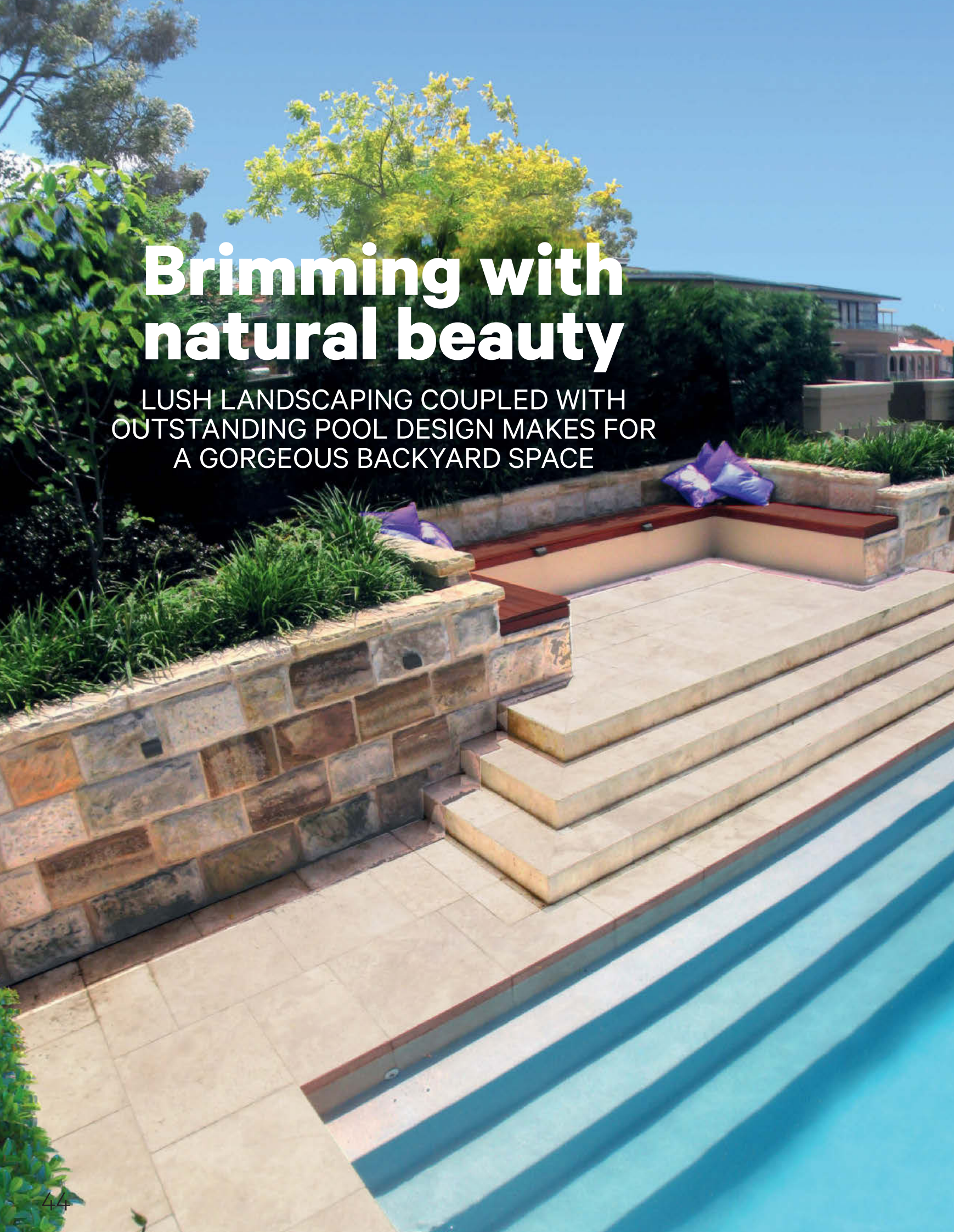
Showcase Profiles

Be inspired by the beautiful pools and spas within these pages and find out about the companies behind the designs. From themed backyard oases through to designs catering for both the eye and the environment, the following pages have something for everyone. Enjoy!



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From small inner-city courtyards to large country estates, whether it's contemporary or traditional design, multi-award-winning A Total Concept Landscape Architects, Cabana & Pool Designers can help with any outdoor design project anywhere in Australia.

This project was designed in a simple formal style that complements the contemporary residence. The main external space for the property is in the front of the residence and this required a careful design resolution to integrate the swimming pool and outdoor entertaining areas (that are traditionally located at the rear of the home) with the main pedestrian entry and the lawn.

The entrance path is located to one side of the property, allowing maximum space for the swimming pool and lawn area. The swimming pool has been designed with a deep middle and two shallow ends, with broad entry steps that allow the entire pool to be safely used for games by the young children.

The swimming pool has a flowing yet formal feel. It features a beautiful light-blue Quartzon interior with travertine waterline tiles that cause the water to shimmer and sparkle during the day. The pool continues to glow into the night, with numerous pool and garden lights adding life and interest.

The elevated poolside entertaining terrace provides views over the swimming pool towards the residence and all features are linked together with the consistent use of blond travertine paving, painted rendered surfaces, traditional sandstone walls and a consistent planting style. The elevated paved entertaining terrace incorporates stunning timber daybeds so that adults can lounge and relax while supervising children in the swimming pool, and once finished swimming the children can entertain themselves on the broad poolside steps.

AT A GLANCE

PAVING: Blond travertine

POOL LIGHTING: LED Evo Aqua-Star lights

INTERIOR TILES: Blue Italian glass tiles and Blue Ice Quartzon



Privacy has been provided around the swimming pool, lawn and elevated entertaining areas by tall hedges within landscaped gardens, which brim with an intentionally simple palette of glossy foliated plants. To ensure the plants' viability, A Total Concept incorporated composting, heavy mulching and a water-wise fully automatic drip irrigation system linked to large water storage tanks.

Plant species include formal hedges of *Cupressus* 'Leightons Green' (green pine hedge) and *Viburnum* 'Emerald Lustre' (glossy tinus), specimen plantings of stunning *Magnolia soulangeana* 'Blue' (blue

magnolia), low blue and white coloured borders of *Agapanthus* 'Blue Peter' (blue agapanthus), *Buxus* 'Japonica' (Japanese box), *Spathiphyllum* 'Sensation' (white peace lily) and *Gardenia augusta* 'Florida' (white florist's gardenia) and groundcovers of *Hedera canariensis* (Canary Island ivy) and the heavenly scented climber *Trachelospermum jasminoides* (white star jasmine).

The simplicity of design visually unifies the overall project and adds immeasurable value to the property, showcasing the design skills of A Total Concept Landscape Architects & Swimming Pool Designers.

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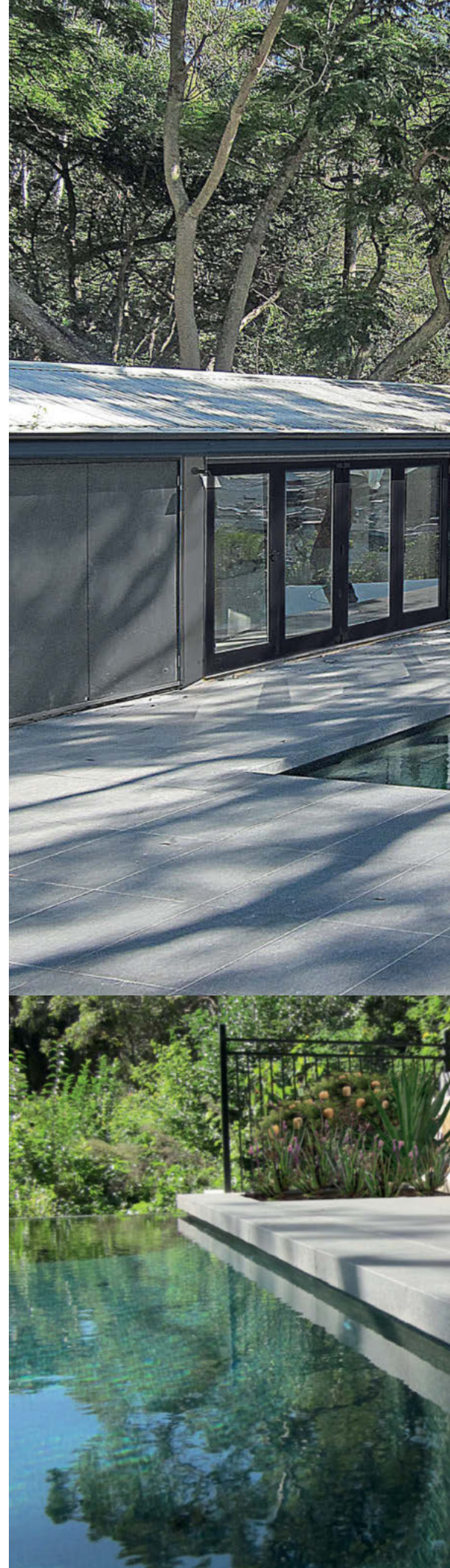
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“We were engaged by the owners of this property to design then manage the integrated pool, cabana and garden areas,” recalls John Storch of A Total Concept Landscape Architects, Cabana & Pool Designers. “We undertook the designs, obtained building approval through the council, provided detailed specifications for all aspects of the project, and recommended and organised both the pool builder and landscape contractor. We also undertook the total management of the project for our clients.”

Building approval and then construction was difficult because of surrounding trees that had to be retained and an adjacent water easement that required careful consideration. Additionally, the proposed placement of the pool was over a flowing subterranean creek that was uncovered during excavation works. “Our clients wanted something different for the design that would sit well in the natural

environment. We believe that we delivered,” says John.

The interesting and contrasting shapes and textures are caused by the adjacent cabana, infinity edge and quadrant pool shape. When blended with the unusual pool colour, these elements create a unique juxtaposition with the native surrounding bushland that acts as an attractive backdrop to the space.

This unique water colour created by the mottled black-glass-tiled swimming pool and wet edge mirrors the native angophoras in the surrounding bushland during the day and beautifully reflects the garden and house lights at night. Together, these features make a bold design statement that showcase the stylishly contemporary home.

The extensive underwater conversation pit of the spa provides the perfect place for sitting, relaxing, entertaining and keeping warm in winter. A long bench in the swimming pool enables swimmers to look outwards to the stunning water views of Sydney’s Middle Harbour. For others, the surrounding paved areas and enormous daybed feature the views and infinity edge. The pool cabana holds all the necessary entertaining features to service the home and swimming pool including bathroom, kitchenette and gym.

The surrounding bushland has been allowed to encroach on the garden, with minimal supplementary planting of endemic lomandras, grevilleas, acacias and banksias to help link the contemporary-style residence, swimming pool and cabana with the water views beyond.

AT A GLANCE

PAVING: Basaltina

POOL LIGHTING: LED Evo Aqua-Star lights

INTERIOR TILES: Black Italian glass tiles



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This pool and spa design by Jeremy Wolveridge of Wolveridge Architects is reminiscent of the famous Palm Springs Resort, California. With plenty of timber decking for family fun and outdoor entertaining, this pool is the ultimate escape from the daily grind.

The north-facing contemporary pool and spa acts as a stunning water feature in the backyard space that complements the home through clean lines and an eclectic use of textures. A gorgeous combination of succulents and native plants by Colin Hyett Design is sprinkled around the pool, adding a soft touch to the overall aesthetic. Crisp

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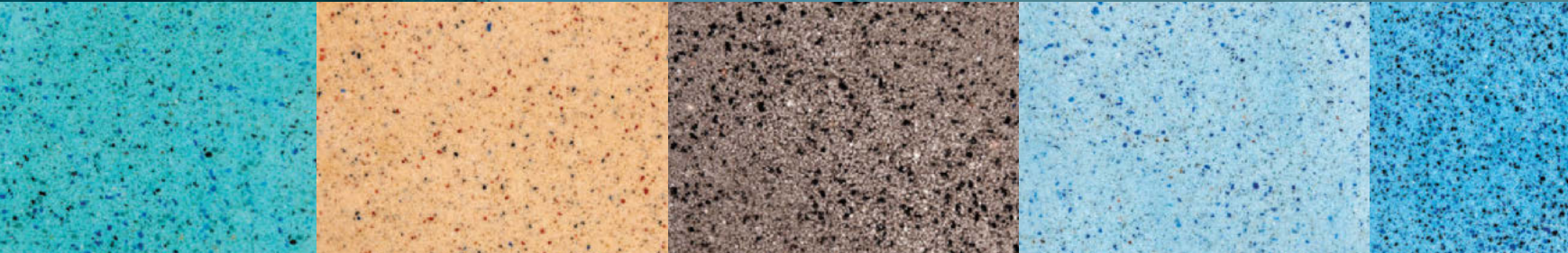
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When it comes to poolside entertaining, this beautifully designed pool by Majestic Pools takes the cake. In fact, it takes the whole bakery. The way the pool wraps itself around the house and outdoor dining area ensures the owners can enjoy the view of the pool no matter what they're doing. Whether having a sit-down dinner inside, outside, or simply relaxing on the lounge with a bottle of wine, this pool can be viewed from multiple angles in and surrounding the house. Its presence creates a stunning background for

all types of dining without the owners having to lift a finger.

The pool's design works in an L-shape formation, stretching alongside the kitchen and wrapping around the outdoor entertaining area. The placement of the pool is spectacular in the way it covers a large area, while still making the backyard seem spacious and inviting.

The most alluring feature of this pool is the large rectangular window placed in the wall between the pool and the inside dining space. The window begins at the bottom of the wall,





continuing upwards until halfway, creating an unimpeded view. The window allows dining guests inside to view the beautiful blue water.

The window also captures the pool's striking water feature — three separate jets which shoot a steady stream of water into the pool. The water feature stands apart from the pool's white wall in a dark navy colour, drawing the attention of onlookers. On either side of the water feature, two separate feature walls in a different shade of white and with a textured surface stand out. The lighting above each wall ensures their stunning effect isn't lost at night.

The illuminated sphere at the end of the pool gives the entire outdoor area a modern and intriguing touch. When lit up at night, the sphere creates a beautiful visual and the illusion that it is floating on water. Without obstructing any of the fantastic views, the sphere (custom designed and supplied by www.ecooutdoor.com.au) is very delicate and adds elegance and sophistication to the pool's design.

The pool's edges are trimmed with a Navy Blue tile, which is also used as the tiling for the shallow end near the sphere water feature. The navy tile contrasts nicely with the cream pavement, allowing the pool to stand out and become the outdoor area's visual centrepiece. The cream pavement surrounding the pool matches the exterior of the house, the pool and surrounding spaces to create a sophisticated colour scheme.

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Majestic Pools takes pride in ensuring its customers have a beautiful pool that suits their every need. Majestic Pools rejects the idea that a pool should just look nice and work well; instead, it focuses on creating masterpieces. Its step-by-step client consultation design process gives clients peace of mind that the design and build of their pool is in good hands.





Down the line

AN UNUSED AREA AT THE SIDE OF THE HOME
IS BROUGHT TO LIFE WITH A VIBRANT POOL



AT A GLANCE

HEATING SYSTEM: Solar heating by Sunbather

CLEANING SYSTEM: PCC2000 in-floor cleaning

FILTRATION: Hayward

COPING AND PAVING: Travertine

TILING: Ezzari tiles in Ocean

LIGHTING: Aqua-Quip

DECKING: Merbau

LANDSCAPING: Insight Landscapes

POOL DESIGNED AND BUILT BY: Riviera Pools

This pool represents what can be achieved in a small wasted space. The owners of this property, a couple with one child, saw the unused space at the side of the home as a complete waste. Living on the coast of NSW, they wanted their home to reflect the relaxed lifestyle of the area as well as be a place they could relax, entertain and enjoy the warm weather.

Together, the owners and Riviera Pools decided to make use of the wasted space at the side of the home and position the pool here. This meant the backyard space remained open with a lawn area for their child to play on and a large deck for entertaining.

The thin area between the home and boundary made for challenging work and difficult access for the builders and tradesmen.

“It was a small area to work with but we managed to overcome this problem and produce a great area for the owners to relax in,” says Clint Gearside from Riviera Pools.

Riviera Pools and Insight Landscapes designed the pool and outdoor space to fit the property perfectly. A new deck was positioned in the back corner of the thin space, providing access to the pool from sliding doors to the side of the home and also an eating area and storage for the owners’ child’s pool toys. A custom stone-wall water

feature was built to run alongside the main deck, cascading water into the pool below.

At the far end of the pool, two lounge chairs have been cleverly positioned to maximise the sunshine and lush tropical plants have been planted in the corner of the property, which is visible from both decking spaces. The inconspicuous glass fencing chosen does a great job of showing off the pool’s aesthetics while keeping the area safe.

This pool and outdoor area is a great example of how thinking outside the box and utilising otherwise overlooked areas can add immense value to your property and your lifestyle.

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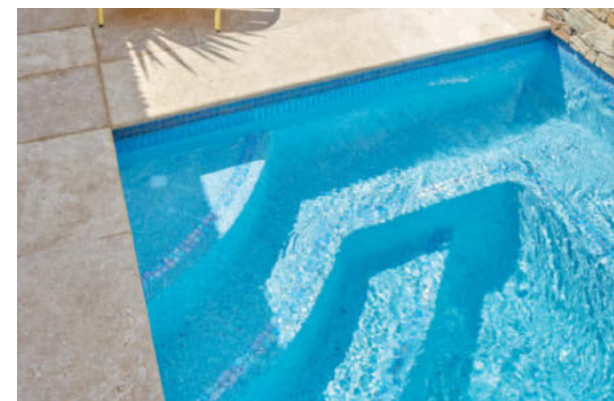
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Riviera Pools, a reliable family company, prides itself on service and quality and caters to individual needs and desires. Its specialty is

building any pool, any size, anywhere — from rooftops to cliff faces and anywhere in between.

The company was started in 1980 by Jim Dowse. Dave Thompson, the company supervisor for 12 years, has teamed up with Clint Gearside to continue the company’s good name.

Riviera Pools builds around 70 pools a year, covering NSW and the ACT. Looking at this magnificent contemporary pool, it’s easy to see that Riviera Pools can and does cater to all aspects of design and construction.



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This pool is elevated five metres above the ground so it sits among the treetops and allows the ocean views in the distance to be maximised. The elevated position also negated the need for excessive fencing around the pool, giving it an open and inviting feel.

A large timber deck sits to the side of the pool, a perfect spot for supervising children or hosting a cocktail party. The pool is fully tiled in glass mosaics in a hue matching the ocean views. Four underwater lights by Lumascope ensure the pool has maximum impact, even on dark winter nights.

The 13m x 4.8m lap pool is constructed from concrete and has three negative edges to enhance the feeling of swimming among the trees. They also allow for the retention of rainwater in some circumstances. The overflow and automatic top-up system ensures easy maintenance, while an automatic pH and chlorine adjuster look after the nitty gritty.

This project truly encapsulates the essence of Pride Pools and the company's commitment to creating high-end, luxurious pools for its clients.

AT A GLANCE

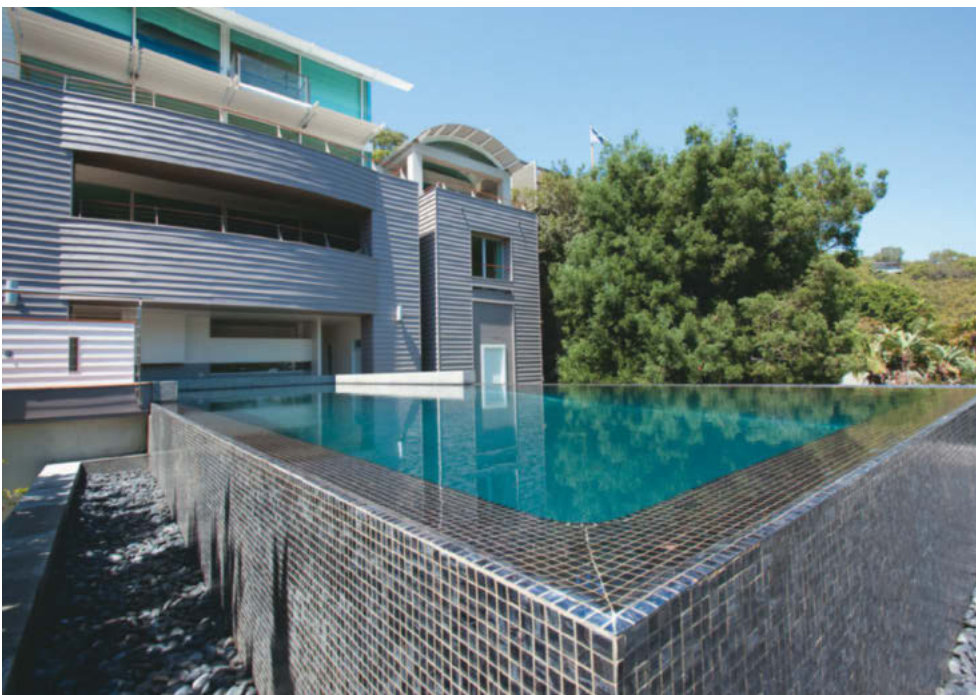
DIMENSIONS: 13m x 4.8m concrete pool

INTERIOR: Fully tiled in glass mosaics

EQUIPMENT: AstralPool sand filter and pump

HEATING: AstralPool Viron gas heater

LIGHTING: Four underwater lights by Lumascope



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Darryl Walters has been building pools since 1973. In 1981 he formed Pride Pools, which has an excellent working relationship with its tradespeople, many of whom have worked with the company for more than 20 years. Pride Pools creates 60 to 70 pools each year, ranging from all types of domestic pools including in-ground spas and splash pools to demanding larger constructions and projects on complex sites or difficult-to-access blocks. Pride Pools, a member of HIA and SPASA, has won many awards. Although it has received numerous accolades over the years, Darryl's greatest satisfaction is delivering a high-quality pool to each client.



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AT A GLANCE

DIMENSIONS: 13m x 2.2m
+ swimout/entry area

FILTRATION: Davey CC32 sand filter
with Davey SLL300 Silensor pump

SANITISATION: Enviroswim ioniser

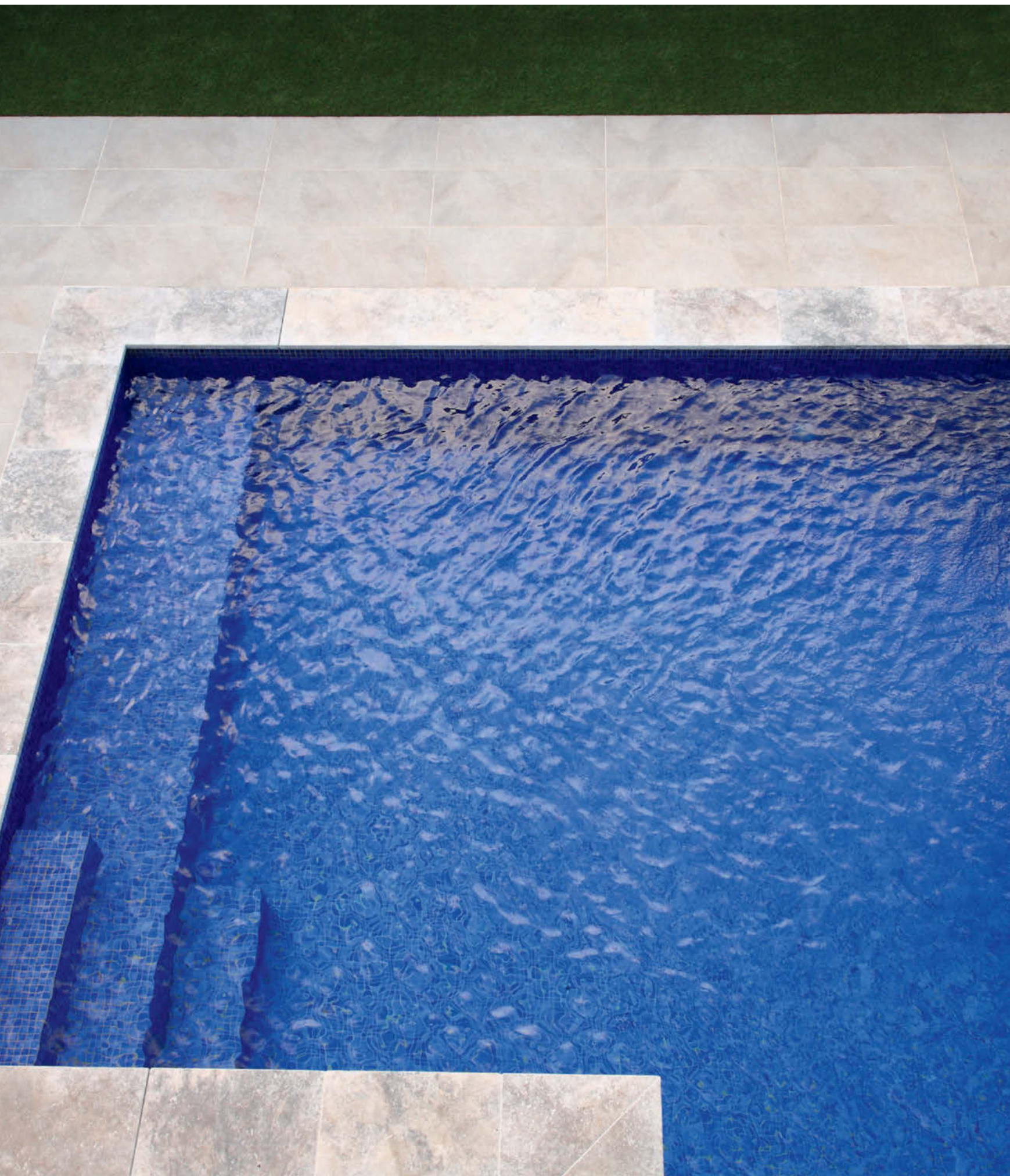
HEATING: Pentair 300HD gas heater

CLEANING: Zodiac V3 robotic cleaner

LIGHTING: 4 Aqua-Star EVO2 white
LED lights with stainless-steel trims

COPING: Silver Tumbled Travertine
coping from Marble Matters

TILES: Fully tiled in Ezarri tiles





Sleek and sophisticated, this pool is as stylish as it is functional. As per the owners' requests, Jade Pools has created a lavish lap pool that blends impeccably with the overall construction of the home, incorporating individual design elements while ensuring the pool remains a standout feature of the backyard.

High columns from the house form a structural feature over the pool as well as part of the backyard entrance, creating an aesthetically seamless transition from indoor to outdoor entertaining spaces. A glass fence enables division between the pool and the outdoor living area without restricting its flow-through appearance.

Rich blue mosaic Ezarri tiles line the entire pool, complementing the sandstone

tiles of the pool's perimeter and the adjoining lush-green lawn. Together these textured and colourful features produce an inviting, tranquil space perfect for both entertaining and relaxing.

The pool's rock-wall-cladding water feature containing a Polaris waterfall with travertine capping adds to the space's luxurious feel, while the swimout area featuring Venturi jets increases the pool's versatility. Other standout features include Aqua-Star EVO2 white LED lights with stainless-steel trims, Pentair 300 HD gas heater, and the Davey CC32 sand filter with Davey SLL300 Silensor pump.

From all angles this pool is set to delight, its design expertly integrating construction elements, rendering it a timeless home feature sure to impress for many years to come.

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Jade Swimming Pools is a family company developed in 1975. Since its conception, the company has built between 50 and 60 pools a year, specialising in the design and creation of exquisite family-style residential pools.

A member of SPASA (Swimming Pool and Spa Alliance), MBA (Master Builders Association) and HIA (Housing Industry Australia), Jade Swimming Pools has won numerous awards over the years, reinforcing its reputation as a trusted and reliable name among swimming pool companies.

The best of both worlds

A TRIUMPH OF MULTIPURPOSE DESIGN, THIS BACKYARD COMBINES A FULLY FUNCTIONAL UNDERCOVER KITCHEN AND DINING AREA WITH AN IMMACULATELY PRESENTED OUTDOOR POOL



Blending harmoniously with the classic design of the home, this pool area has been created to appear ageless. Designed and built by The Galvin Group, the private area encompasses everything the owners wanted: a visually appealing space with classical detailing in accordance with the existing home, an area which would be the go-to place for year-round parties and special occasions, and somewhere to relax and unwind on a daily basis. Entertainment was vitally important for the owners as they wanted a space that would link lifestyle with fun.

The design incorporates all the features of a modern lifestyle that focuses on utilising Adelaide's Mediterranean climate within a private and comfortable setting. A fully functional undercover portico living area

features a working kitchen equipped with a bar, integrated barbecue, two glass-fronted bar fridges and sink, which creates an ideal setting for food preparation. The custom-designed fireplace extends the usability into the cooler months, providing a welcoming, cosy space. The fireplace, equipped with a flat-screen wall-mounted LED TV, has a polished granite mantelpiece and chimney both in a timeless shade of Sunset Gold. Downlights, ceiling fans and entertainment speakers have been installed in the ceiling.

The pool, sprayed concrete with glazed mosaic tiles, is rectangular in shape to match the classic style of the home. It features dual entry steps and a swim-out lounge. Seven LED multi-colour flush-mounted pool lights have been installed for visual pizzazz.

An integrated spa features an infinity edge where water elegantly cascades into the pool below. The spa features 12 turbojet spa nozzles and a gas heater with an electronic control pad.

The undisputed showstopper of the space is the large water feature wall on the far wall of the backyard. Facing towards the home and undercover living area, the water feature draws the whole design together with its classic colours and ageless appearance. Custom-polished granite fluted pilasters and moulded granite lintel surround a Bisazza glass mosaic tiled wall. A 900mm-wide polished granite bowl cascades water into a raised infinity-edge pond below.

Double-tiered raised garden flower boxes in Sunset Gold polished granite hold an immaculately presented garden. A decked



lounge area was added to the design as a space for sunbaking and lounging alongside the pool. An electronic automated café-style folding arm awning provides sun protection when needed.

Twelve-millimetre toughened glass panels with blunt tipped corners and machine-polished edges create a safety fence which does its best not to break up the aesthetically pleasing space.

This outdoor area successfully encompasses classical touches of Adelaide's heritage with the standards of today's modern lifestyle. Functional spots such as the outdoor kitchen, undercover dining area, decked sitting space, spa, pool and water feature are visually linked to each other using repeated materials and design elements.

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The Galvin Group offers a broad range of design and construction services under its four title banners — Glorious Gardens, Lifestyle Pools, Grand Home Designs and Complete Construction Concepts. This proudly South Australian family-owned and -operated business has been delivering quality consultation, design and construction for more than 30 years.

Offering a complete service from design through to installation for all things outdoors including landscaping, pools and construction means the stress is taken off the homeowner as all requirements can be organised and executed by the same company. Clients are provided with an on-site consultation, 3D-design walk-through, full council approval and building rules consent, and finally construction and implementation of the design.

The Galvin Group's dedicated and passionate teams strive to deliver both unsurpassed quality and exceptional service. Being in the business for 30 years, the company has experience and an intimate knowledge of building, design and architecture. The Galvin Group is capable of creating both visually striking and extremely functional pools to suit any size area and in a wide range of styles.



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With numerous standout features and an impeccable finish, this pool is remarkably memorable for all the right reasons. Integrated Pools has designed and built a modern family oasis which will impress for decades to come.

Positioned among a stylish outdoor dining area and lush green lawn, this pool is the perfect addition to its contemporary setting. In accordance

with the pool owner's requests, Integrated Pools has gone beyond creating a space to swim and has instead developed an enjoyable lifestyle for the clients, together with Rising Sun Landscaping, responsible for the breathtaking construction and design of the landscape.

Integrated Pools has used ceramic tiles from Amalfi Mosaics in Sea Slate to create the pool's visually appealing colour, while the surrounding

bluestone pavers help blend the different areas to create a uniform space. Featuring a plethora of standout elements, perhaps the most unique is the underwater window. The glass window looks out from an underground wine cellar in the pool house, using space economically while adding flair and individuality to the pool's overall design.

To make the most of the space and the opportunities for creativity it presents, Integrated



AT A GLANCE

HEATING: Gas-boosted heater and solar system

CLEANING: No inbuilt cleaning systems as the pool has a robot

FILTRATION: Glass media

COPING: Bluestone

TILES: Ceramic tiles from Amalfi Mosaics in Sea Slate

PAVERS: Bluestone

LANDSCAPING: Rising Sun Landscaping

LIGHTING: Two LED multi-coloured lights inside the pool and lighting in the water feature

FENCE: Combination of glass and half black matchstick

Pools has also incorporated a stunning water feature into the design. Lined with copper and containing three downlights, the feature stands tall on the wall adjoining the pool and is visible from the outdoor dining area, presenting itself as a spectacular piece of contemporary design visible from myriad angles.

The epitome of versatility, this pool offers the opportunity for family play while doubling as a

lap pool, with the addition of a Remco swim jet. The pool is also not limited to warmer weather as Integrated Pools installed a solar heating system on the roof. This means the pool can now be used on cooler days and at night. With LED multi-coloured lights, the pool glimmers at all hours and a variable-speed eight-star energy-efficient pump has been installed to reduce environmental effects.

Every element of this outdoor space comes

together to create a show-stopping sight, the pool and its list of dazzling features completing what's set to be a picture of modern perfection for years to come.



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Damian Canny started the Canny Group more than 20 years ago, building custom homes and doing renovations. The business has since extended into swimming pools, commercial projects, architectural practice and building pre-designed homes. Constructing around 60 pools across Melbourne each year, Integrated Pools specialises in concrete pools and is a member of SPASA.

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Exuding style, comfort and enticing warmth, this pool is the perfect escape for adults and children. East Coast Pools, in collaboration with Kate Patterson Landscape Architects, has created the ultimate space for family entertainment while ensuring valuable backyard space is effectively utilised for optimum effect.

The pool's owners aimed to develop a space dripping with appeal, one designed and built for an active young family. Pre-existing standout features, like the charming weatherboard pool house, inspired the pool's overall design. Rustic building materials provided the perfect backdrop and surrounds.

Square in shape, this pool sits perfectly within the backyard without overwhelming the area, allowing for ample lawn and entertainment space. A glass fence divides the pool from the other backyard zones, ensuring it is safely segregated without creating cumbersome obstacles and allowing for an aesthetically seamless transition from zone to zone. The pool is lined with charcoal tiles and paired beautifully with bluestone cladding, effectively adding a modern flair to an otherwise traditional look. It also features a stainless-steel water feature, positioned on the pool's raised wall and backdropped by a Burnt Red brick wall. Blending 21st-century concepts with time-honoured style, the

effect is impressive and with the addition of greenery, makes for a stylish and tranquil pool feature.

A ledge runs the length of one of the pool's edges, providing a space for children to play and cool off. Advanced lighting by Spa Electrics keeps the pool glimmering at all hours, while multi-speed pumps and in-floor cleaning helps render it an environmentally friendly space. All pool features are conveniently automated and can be controlled from the owner's phone and handset.

East Coast Pools has ensured this pool remains a modern day show-stopper, perfectly balanced in its space without compromising the charm of its surrounds.



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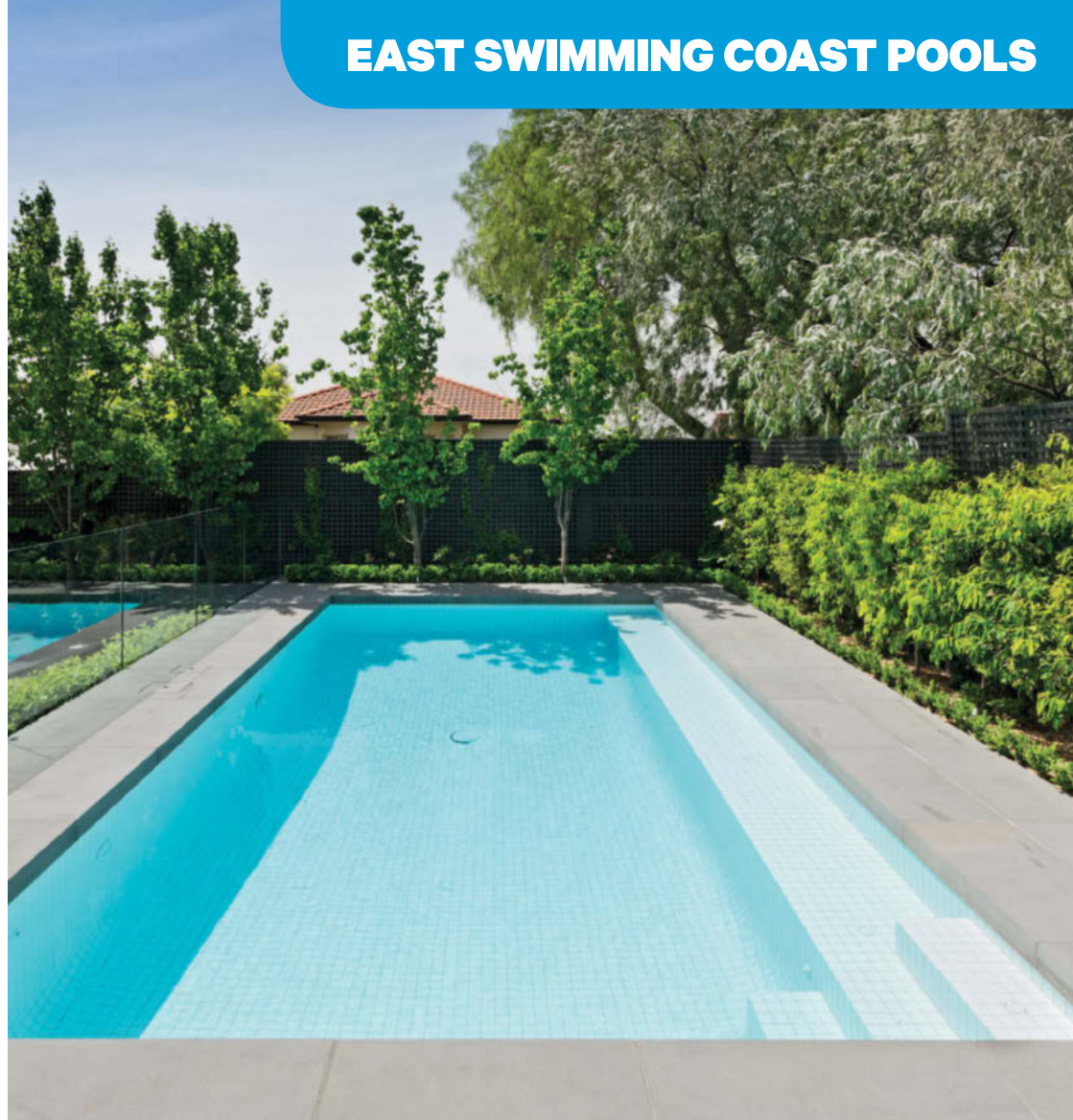
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East Coast Pools was started in 2001 by Colin Sloggett with a strong dedication to quality,

service and attentive project management. The East Coast Pools team ensures the use of state-of-the-art materials and techniques, with design and construction extending to spas, landscapes and exterior spaces as well as pools. No matter what the project, the team promises committed project management from the initial concept through to design, construction and completion.

In collaboration with Kate Patterson Landscape Architects, East Coast Pools has created this modern-day masterpiece. Combining contemporary styling with classic design principles, the pool is effortlessly timeless and will withstand fluctuating design trends.

Positioned in a backyard with varying ground levels, this pool was built to complement and showcase its differing terrain. To meet the level of the existing timber deck, the pool was deliberately built above ground, allowing for a seamless, flow-through effect from home to outdoor zones. The paving around the pool was poured at the same time as it was for the pool, ensuring its longevity.

All of the pool's functional equipment is conveniently positioned underneath the suspended paving slab, optimising space and eradicating the burden of unsightly equipment. The wide pool ledge is family-friendly, providing a versatile area for various uses. The result is a modern and durable space, the clean and crisp aesthetics of the concrete blending well with the home's exterior design.

East Coast Pools built this pool using a simple colour palette of bluestone and white to marry with the home's overall look. The white tiles ensure a fresh, contemporary aesthetic all year round while the bluestone pavement is a classic colour addition to any outdoor space.

Working with Kate Patterson Landscape Architects, East Coast Pools adapted the pool design to ensure the ledge and steps allow for maximum usage and are practical for the whole family. Lush surrounding greenery lends classic charm to the space, the combination of colours creating an area that's as visually inviting as it is practical.

East Coast Pools has used eco-friendly products to reduce environmental damage, including a multi-speed pump and solar heating system. With its architecturally designed surroundings providing the perfect setting for outdoor enjoyment, this pool will prove to be a welcome addition for decades to come.

Tremendous transformation

THANKS TO A COMPLETE REDESIGN, THIS POOL AND OUTDOOR AREA WERE GIVEN A FRESH LOOK



AT A GLANCE

POOL DESIGN BY: Elton Cummins

POOL BUILT BY: Casamira Projects

HEATING: Solar heating by Sunlover Heating

FILTRATION: Hayward SwimClear cartridge filter, Hayward Tri-Star VS pump

COPING: Drop face bluestone

TILES: Glazed ceramic

PAVERS: Bluestone

LANDSCAPING: by Casamira Projects including indigenous plants: hop bush, dwarf sedge, poa, lomandra, flax lily, kentia palms and golden cane palms in movable pots sourced from local nurseries on the Mornington Peninsula

LIGHTING: PAL white and multi-coloured LED with wireless remote, supplied by Hayward

FENCE: Semi-frameless glass supplied by GlassFit





This property was purchased by the owners as a holiday getaway for their young family, however the outdoor area was in a state of disuse, preventing the family from enjoying the full potential of their site. A pool was the perfect choice to give new life to the space.

Casamira Projects took on this challenge, completing the entire design and build of the landscape and pool. Several plans were drawn up and discussed with the owners to ensure their needs were interpreted to the finest detail. As a result, the pool and outdoor area are now a wonderful place to enjoy family getaways and create lifelong family memories.

A modern clean design with a beach retreat feel was chosen to provide plenty of space for entertaining, fun in the pool and to match the surrounding area. Grass was incorporated for the owner's children and

dog, with local plants in the landscaping to create a contemporary aesthetic. Granite boulders were kept from the original site and made into a unique rock garden.

The pool itself features a "wet deck" beach area, perfect for the owner's children to be safely supervised. Two north-facing bench seats and a safety ledge that runs the length of pool are also included for ultimate security.

Bluestone pavers were chosen from the beginning, with the glazed ceramic blue pool tiles, concrete sleepers, render and painting branching from this to be complementary. A Hayward variable speed pump is included, an ideal element as it can be set on a low setting while the owners are away, ensuring low energy costs and usage. Other features include solar heating to keep the pool at the most ideal temperature and PAL white and multi-coloured LED lights with wireless remote.

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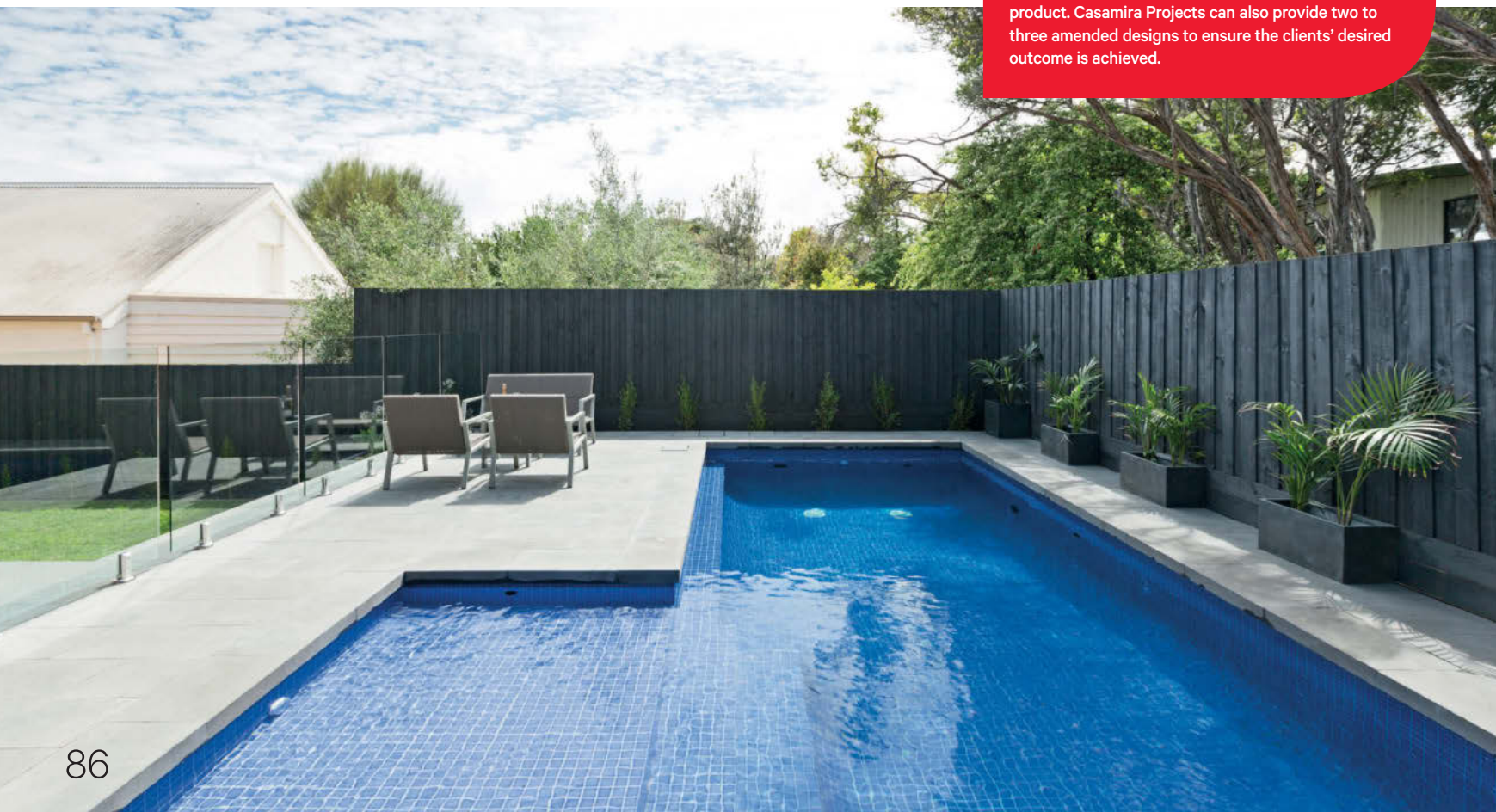
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Casamira Projects is a family business directed by Elton Cummins, who has more than 18 years of design and building experience. Elton spent eight years in Dubai, creating top-end pools and landscapes. He returned to Melbourne in 2011 and opened Casamira Projects. The company now works on 15 to 20 pools a year.

Based in the Mornington Peninsula, the team at Casamira Projects pride themselves on their client interaction, with their unique design and quoting process to work to their clients' budget. The company specialises in complete services for all outdoor living aspects, with the majority of work undertaken in-house, minimising subcontracting and promoting more control over quality workmanship. All designs provided by Casamira Projects include 3D concepts and a virtual walk-through to help express the finished product. Casamira Projects can also provide two to three amended designs to ensure the clients' desired outcome is achieved.



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ELEMENTS OF RESORT-STYLE DESIGN



Listening to the requests of the clients and adhering closely to their every wish is an essential element of good design, according to Sean Lynch of Malibu Pools. When the owners of this home came to Sean they were in search of a design that would capture the elements of a resort-style pool suited to their rural Brisbane property. With this in mind, Sean designed a pool that ensured the family could experience a “holiday at home” every day.

The pool was designed to draw the eye from within the house out to the inviting entertaining area, enticing the viewer into the backyard space. To achieve this, excavation was required to create the flow of levels from the house down to the pool area via stone retaining walls and a formal staircase. Suspended cantilevered tiled surrounds were also included for maximum space inside the pool enclosure.

A seaside look was crafted through the use of an Ocean Blue pebble pool interior and glass waterline pool tiles that contrast with the surrounding slate stone-look tiles, mimicking the colours and textures of the beach. A glass fence enhances the feeling of space around the pool, creating a seamless transition between the entertaining and pool areas. The pool itself features multiple swim-up play bench areas at varying depths for reclining in the pool as well as around the resort-style wet-step entry into the pool.

The design is eco-friendly with all of the pool energy systems, including the pool and garden feature lighting, heaters, bubblers and therapy jets, operated on the solar energy harvested from the solar panels on the roof of the house. Variable flow pool circulation pumps allow the clients to operate all lighting and hydraulic systems easily and efficiently when required. All pool cleaning and operating systems are operated by the latest in remote-control energy-saving systems for easy operation.

This project exemplifies how working with the one design and build team can result in a space that is both functional and beautiful. Malibu Pools specialises in creating designs that achieve just that, this pool another testament to the company’s unmatched reputation.

AT A GLANCE

POOL INTERIOR: Malibu Beach — glass and polished 1mm Ocean blue pebble interior from the unique Malibu range of interiors.

HYDRAULICS: Low flow and variable speed Waterco eco-pumps, sand filters and a remote-control system, Waterco pool lights, water features, pool operating systems and garden lighting systems.

THERAPY JETS: Waterco therapy jets above the pool benches operate on a booster pump by the remote-control system.

FENCING: Semi-frameless pool fencing.

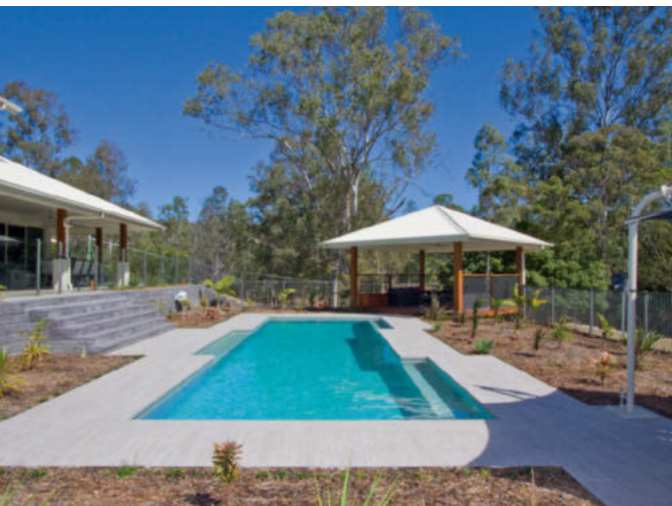
LIGHTING: Stainless-steel LED lights in colour-changing style, remote-control-operated system.

FRESH WATER SYSTEM: Enviroswim system — fresh water sanitisation system by Enviroswim.

POOL COPING AND SURROUNDS: Rebated square-edge coping, surrounding tiles in a stone-look ceramic outdoor tile by The Pool Tile Company.

WATERLINE TILE: Ocean Blue glass mosaic waterline tile and bench tile highlight.

POOL AND OUTDOOR SPACE DESIGNED AND BUILT BY: Sean Lynch of Malibu Pools & Landscapes.



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Established more than 35 years ago, Malibu Pools and Landscaping is now one of the

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A modern outdoor spa deck featuring a large wooden deck, a fire pit with logs, a bamboo wall, and a hot tub. The deck is made of dark wood planks. A large, shallow, copper-colored fire pit sits on a dark stone base, containing several logs. Behind the fire pit is a low wall made of stacked logs. A dense wall of bamboo plants stands behind the log wall. To the right, a hot tub is partially visible, surrounded by a dark stone wall. The sky is clear and blue.

The epitome of cool

A SPA DESIGNED FOR ULTIMATE
OUTDOOR ENTERTAINING
AND WOW FACTOR



AT A GLANCE

HEATING: Viron eVo 450 pool and spa heater

CLEANING: Viron eQuilibrium salt chlorinator, Viron Connect 10 pool and spa controller

FILTRATION: Astral Pool Cantabric sand filter

COPING: Better Exteriors honed bluestone carbon

TILES: Bisazza glass mosaic 'Galapagos'

PAVERS: (Cladding) Better Exteriors honed bluestone carbon

LANDSCAPING: Apex Landscapes

PLANTING: *Bambusa textilis* 'Gracilis', *Ophiopogon planiscapus* 'Nigrescens', *Lomandra confertifolia* 'Little Con', *Festuca glauca* 'Elijah Blue', *Xanthorrhoea johnsonii*

DECKING: Merbau



This chic, modern and minimalist design seamlessly combines all crucial elements of outdoor entertaining to create a luxe haven fit for the most sophisticated of celebrations. Aiming to turn a small backyard into the ultimate oasis, Apex Pools & Spas has built a breathtaking concrete raised spa that is now the centrepiece of this modern architectural home.

Comfortably seating eight people, the spa is as lavish as it is functional. A clear acrylic wall is just one of its standout features, expertly designed with highly complementary Bisazza glass mosaic tiles on the spa interior. The wall is visible from the home's living and dining rooms, rendering it an artistic element within the home as well as outside. Not only does the height of the spa, deliberately built above ground, showcase elements such as the acrylic wall, it also minimises the use of fencing, in turn reducing clutter and helping maintain a clean, sleek style. Rounded seat edges within the spa provide the ultimate in comfort, while the plunge area, located against the acrylic wall, allows for standing room.

Encased within a carefully landscaped deck and lush garden, this spa's vibrant blue colour scheme contrasts perfectly with the warm timber tones of the deck and cool bluestone coping and cladding, combining to create an appealing aesthetic. The white rendered wall supporting the spa allows for privacy from the property's neighbours and doubles as an acoustic insulator, ensuring the space maintains its cosy, intimate ambience.

State-of-the-art appliances such as the Viron eVo 450 pool and spa heater, along with the pump, jets and blower systems, can be effortlessly controlled from a touchpad installed within the home, allowing for ultimate control. With everything one could possibly need at their fingertips, this spa is a seamless addition to any entertaining space that can undoubtedly double as a stand-alone masterpiece.

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Founded by registered pool builders and landscapes contractors Matt Seymour and Steven Blencowe, Apex Pools & Spas provides the complete service. In conjunction with its design company, Apex Landscapes, the team can create complete landscape designs and pool construction. By working with the one company you are ensuring a harmonious building process with an end result that speaks for itself.

Apex Pools & Spas works on approximately 10 pools per year in order to give clients the utmost attention. After an initial consultation, the team evaluates the desired site and provides 3D images of the proposed concepts and layout plans. Once a quote is finalised and accepted, the team takes care of all permits including engineering and construction, leaving their clients to sit back and relax.



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The great outdoors

IT DOESN'T GET ANY BETTER THAN THIS





Who doesn't love entertaining outdoors? Whether you're firing up the barbecue for a family dinner or inviting guests for cheese and wine, being outside in the summer months is something special. This newly built family home was designed specifically to utilise the outdoor living area and the addition of a pool has completed this brilliant entertaining space. The owners requested that it be constructed as a unique feature of their backyard that would bring together all the elements of fun and entertainment. Senator Pools jumped at the challenge, keeping the owners thoroughly involved in the design and construction process.

One of the challenges of this pool was building it to fit in perfectly with the alfresco area. Senator Pools collaborated closely with its client throughout the design process, evolving the design over a number of hand-drawn sketches. The conceptual design was further enhanced and refined by the team at Ecodesign, who played an integral part in both the design of the pool and the landscape.

The pool tiles were provided and installed by iPave, with the mottled blend used in the lounge component of the pool adding to the sense of

leisure. A solid-blue tile trims the perimeter of the pool and synchronises perfectly with the sparkling blue inner created by Gemtex's Sapphire Glow glass bead interior. This spectacular interior is also used for the balance tank, providing a seamless connection between the two features.

The daybed crafted within the deck coincides brilliantly with the lounge component of the pool, converting the outdoor area instantly into an inviting, relaxing space. The outdoor space also features a television and bar within the alfresco room, creating a fabulous arena for entertaining friends.

At night the pool radiates with Aqua-Quip's Aquastar Evo2 flush-mounted fixed-colour LED lights that illuminate the pool to a brilliant blue hue. The intensity of the colour and illumination is easily managed using the light's dimmers, making it the perfect visual background for night-time entertaining.

Dimension One glass panels frame the pool on two sides and also scribe the blade where the water cascades into the balance tank below. Aqua-Quip provided sanitation equipment including saltwater chlorination and sand filters. The pool also features a series of spa jets and alternating returns for added fun.

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Senator Pools encourages clients to take an active role throughout the design, development and construction process. The creativity in the design

and selection of colours and materials becomes a reflection of their own taste and personality. It is imperative that these are interpreted and translated accurately from the start of the project. Through design and craftsmanship, the client's vision is then realised. Senator Pools excels in both new construction and pool renovations of all sizes, from innovative plunge pools for more challenging spaces through to opulent, grand pools. Being a small family business, Senator Pools offers a personalised service with individual attention. Senator Pools is a proud member of both SPASA and the MBA.



Backyard beauty

CLEAN LINES AND QUALITY FINISHINGS MAKE THIS A SUPERIOR FAMILY POOL

Nestled in the rear section of an inner-city backyard, this stylish pool by Queensland Family Pools cleverly adds both privacy and leisure to the contemporary home. The owners wanted a pool that would be both classy and timeless in design, while providing a space for the family to enjoy quality time together. Despite tight access to the site, Queensland Family Pools delivered a superior pool as it consistently strived to make the impossible possible.

The pool sits within the borders of the backyard, acting as a boundary fence. With two 1.8m block walls that sit on either side of the pool, privacy is added for the swimmers splashing about in their backyard haven. Stunning textured tiling is added to the walls for a modern look.

Custom-made travertine coping tiles with a 130mL lip were specially made for this pool and are added to the pool's perimeter. The natural tone blends with the feature tiles on

the block walls to create a cohesive overall design. Timber decking on one side of the pool unites the pool and home seamlessly as if designed and built together.

Blue glass pebble tiles in Mediterranean line the interior of the pool, fashioning a sleek and inviting entrance for swimmers. A Maytronics Swash robotic cleaner ensures a superior cleaning system, while MagnaPool filtration keeps the water fresh and gentle on the skin.



AT A GLANCE

CLEANING: Maytronics Swash robotic cleaner

FILTRATION: MagnaPool

COPING: 400mm x 400mm bullnose Grande Travertine Linen

TILES: Crystal Glass Ivory also on step treads

PAVERS: 6m² 400 x 400 Travertine Linen

LIGHTING: PAL LED remote-control colour change

FENCE: Fully frameless glass fencing plus one gate

LED lights bring the pool to life in the evenings while two lights set on the block walls provide extra safety for swimmers. A frameless glass fence adds a streamlined view from the garden area and home living room to the pool.

The pump and filter are cleverly hidden behind the home office. This helps to maintain the backyard as a sophisticated and neat area, devoid of any clutter or obtrusive materials.

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Queensland Family Pools was founded by Chris Nicholls, designer of the pool. Specialising in freeform and contemporary design, the

Queensland Family Pools team installs, builds and renovates approximately 80 pools a year. The company has been honoured with many esteemed awards, including the President's Choice award, Magna Pool Builder of the Year and Concrete Pool Builder of the Year. Among their principles of outstanding design, the team work endlessly to understand the client's vision and implement modern, first-class equipment to ensure dreams become reality. These principles, according to the team, are vital to successful design.



Grand design

A PERFECT BALANCE BETWEEN FAMILY AND FASHION

AT A GLANCE

POOL DESIGNED BY: Narellan Pools franchisees — Glen, Kerry and Brad Buttsworth

POOL BUILT BY: Central West and Lower Blue Mountains franchisees, Glen, Kerry and Brad Buttsworth

LIGHTING: LED lights

PAVING: Travertine paving

SANITATION: Enviroswim sanitising unit

FENCING: Glass fencing



With its simple, clean lines and elegant design that complements any contemporary home, it's no wonder The Symphony by Narellan Pools is the company's best-selling pool shape. Grand in size, the pool will create a luxurious oasis in any backyard with plenty of space still left for entertaining.

Not only beautiful in its appearance, the pool is also practical, with elements that cater to all members of the family. Gradual depth increase means the pool is perfect for wading and learning to swim. A non-slip surface will prevent falls and a child-safety ledge around the perimeter keeps the little ones safe at all times. Wide steps and a seating ledge that runs the length of the pool ensure there is always a place to sit and be immersed in the refreshing water.

Optional extras to this design include spa jets and bubbling spa nook, heating, automation, cleaners, swim jets, lighting and pool blankets. Clients can also choose between a salt or mineral pool, both a gentle option for the skin.

The featured award-winning pool is a jaw-dropping feature for family and guests as it sits

fully exposed to the main living areas by floor-to-ceiling glass. Using travertine tiles, The Symphony 9 is stylishly framed, giving the elegant design a more contemporary look. The lighter colour of the tiles offsets the interior pool colour, Blue Azurite, for a stunning effect that contrasts with the landscaping.

A waterfall is the standout feature, winning multiple SPASA awards including gold and silver at SPASA's regional and state awards respectively. Sitting at the back of the pool, the waterfall creates a focal point, tying the entire design together. At night the waterfall is kept alive with LED lighting, proving this pool is a fashionable statement in any backyard.

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Narellan Pools has been committed to quality and innovation for two generations. Specialising in fibreglass swimming pools and spas and ISO 9001-accredited manufacturing, the company has built a reputation for bringing dreams to life by building Australia's most-loved swimming pools for more than 40 years. Supplying and installing pools throughout Australia, Europe, the Middle East, New

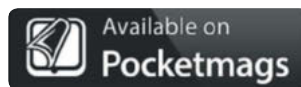
Zealand, South Pacific and Asia, Narellan Pools offers a wide range of designs and colours to suit any home.

At Narellan Pools, the experienced designers and builders take you through the entire pool-building process — from concept to completion. The company's philosophy — "to create family fun and a lifetime of memorable moments" — underpins every project that it takes on, giving prospective pool owners the security of knowing that they are making the right choice.

A long-time member of SPASA, HIA and the Master Builders Association, Narellan Pools has been consistently acknowledged for excellence. Having won more than 100 SPASA awards nationally, and with a list of environmental awards and the Best Practice Manufacturing Accreditation from Nuplex, the company guarantees an award-winning pool that will transform your house into a home.

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‘60s twist

INSPIRED BY ELEGANT SIMPLICITY

GOODMANORS pool + garden prides itself on attention to detail, simple elegance and the mantra “less is more”.

Designing and building the featured pool and garden area, it is clear the team at GOODMANORS pool + garden are loyal to their word. The result is this ‘60s-inspired contemporary outdoor room and pool design that focuses on complementing the architecture of the existing home and the

owner’s interior styling.

They wanted to integrate a pool for leisure purposes into their small garden, with plenty of privacy from neighbouring properties and apartment blocks, but were on a strict budget. A redesign of the backyard was required so the design would create a seamless transition between indoor and outdoor spaces.

Clever use of levels allowed for the limited space to be utilised to its full

potential. Steps lead down to the pool so that more room on this level could be dedicated to the stand-out feature — the 90mm spotted gum hardwood decking.

A skilfully assembled outdoor room was integrated into the design to fashion a relaxed atmosphere for outdoor entertaining and to nurture the natural aesthetics of the landscaped backyard fauna. The large window-like wall that faces the pool area creates a luxurious view

AT A GLANCE

HEATING: Hurlcon JX 160 gas heating

CLEANING: Aqua-Quip Jet-Vac

FILTRATION: Mineral-based system

COPING: Sawn bluestone tiling with a 70mm drop edge for the pool coping, and sawn bluestone for the tiling and pool steps

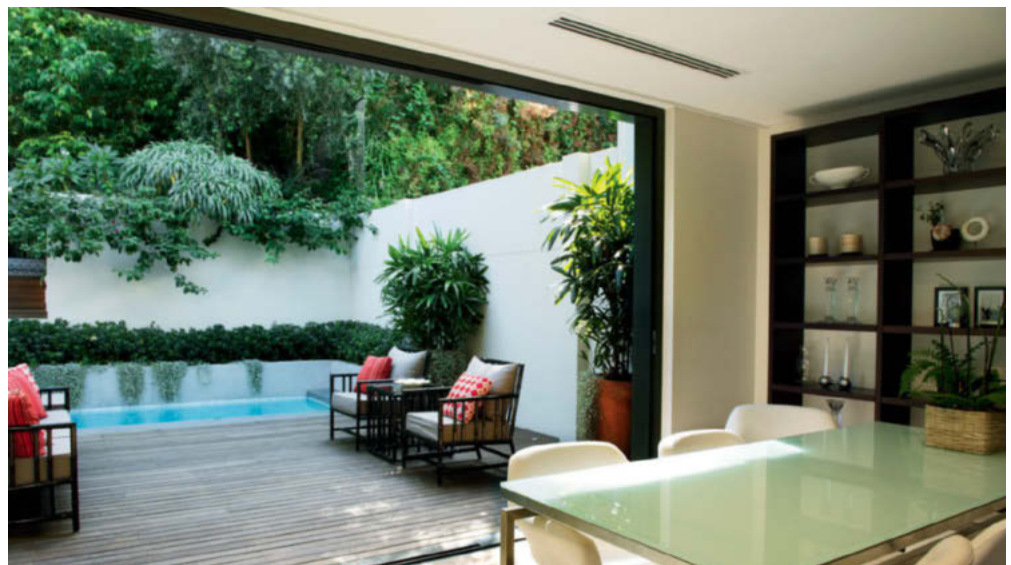
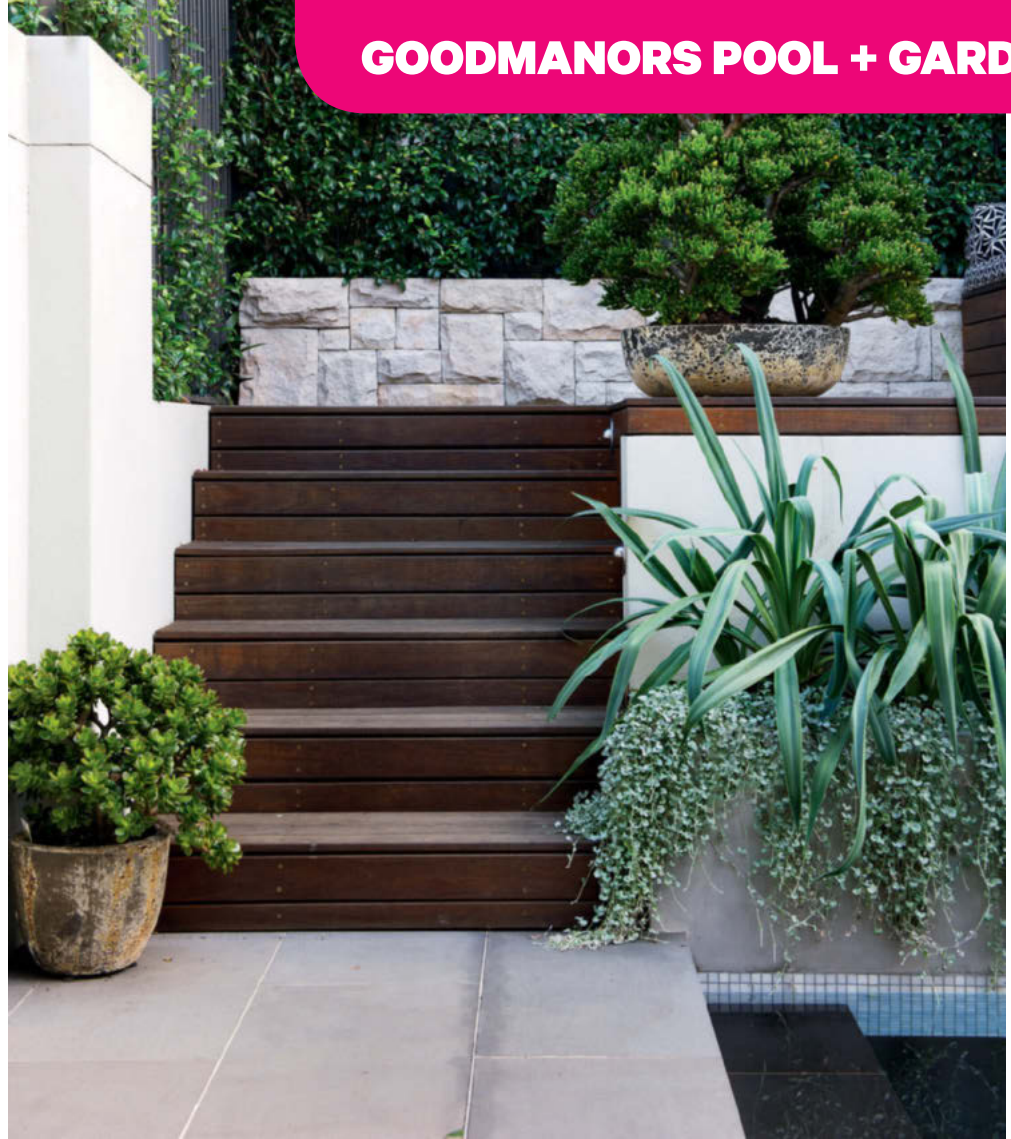
TILES: Bisazza mosaic

LANDSCAPING: Minimal planting palette included *Raphiolepis* 'Oriental Pearl', *Beschorneria yuccoides*, *Dichondra* 'Silver Falls', *Plumeria acutifolia*, *Trachelospermum jasminoides*, *Alpinia zerumbet*, *Arthropodium cirratum*, bougainvillea and *Michelia champaca*

LIGHTING: 2 x Bellson LED flush-mount pool lights

DECKING: 90mm spotted gum hardwood

FENCE: Black powder-coated aluminium



for the owners while inside and lets them soak up the beauty of their backyard year-round.

The mineral magnesium pool is its own marvel, with bluestone step treads on the interior that contrast beautifully against the surrounding pavers and exquisite mosaic tiles. Hurlcon JX 160 gas heating and Aqua-Quip Jet-Vac cleaning system keep pool maintenance to a minimum, ensuring the pool always looks its best.

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The GOODMANORS pool + garden team are experienced builders who have been in the business of design and construction for more than 27 years. Raoul van de Laak and Ron Berkelmans started the company in 1986 and specialise in providing a complete service, from design through to construction and maintenance. The team pride themselves on their extensive knowledge and experience in pool renovations and construction, which allows them to design spaces that incorporate a range of products and elements. GOODMANORS pool + garden is a member of AILD, LNA, SPASA and HIA.



Inner-city grandeur

MAKING THE MOST OF EVERY
INCH, THIS ELEGANT POOL
CLEVERLY FITS INTO THE CORNER
OF AN URBAN FRONT YARD



AT A GLANCE

POOL BUILT BY: Elite Pools Vic

HOUSE DESIGNED BY: Christopher Doyle Architects

HOUSE BUILT BY: Cambridge Constructions

HEATING: Solar heating

CLEANING: PCC2000 in-floor cleaning system

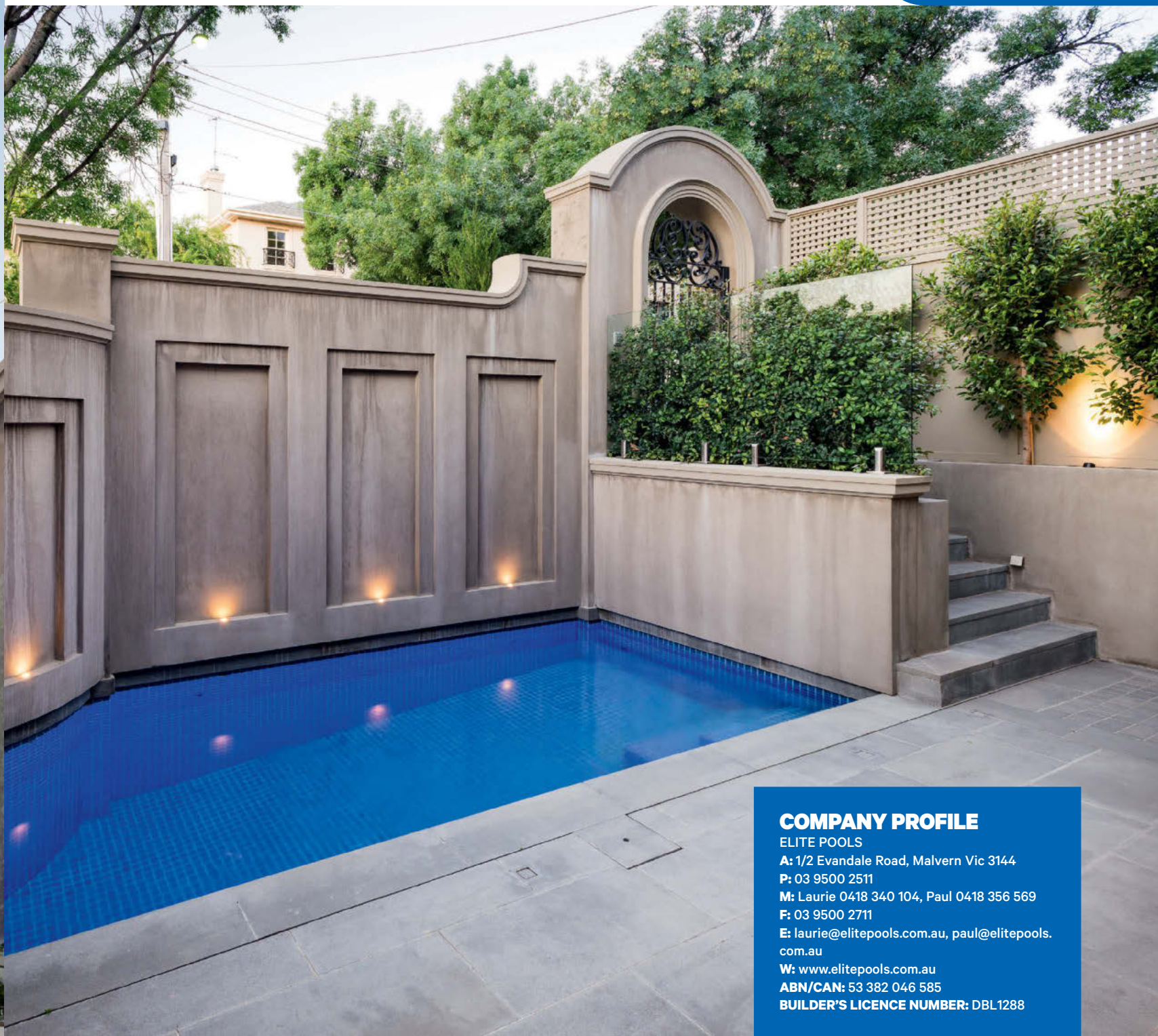
FILTRATION: Hurlcon Viron variable speed pump,
Hurlcon Equilibrium salt chlorinator pH combo system

COPING: Bluestone coping

TILES: Ceramic Ocean Blue tiles

LIGHTING: Spa Electrics LED lighting





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Elite Pools was founded more than 40 years ago by Laurie Jacobson and Paul Wilken. Since its beginning, Elite Pools has been committed to providing the best pool solutions for its clients. Specialising in concrete, in-ground and fully tiled pools, Elite Pools works on approximately 60 projects per year in Melbourne's metropolitan areas and the peninsula. Its efforts and workmanship have been recognised over the years with numerous national and state gold awards. Elite Pools has years of experience working closely with architects and landscape artists to ensure the home, garden and spa are designed as a unique whole, with each aspect working together to enhance one another.

Built into the front garden of an inner-city townhouse, this elegant courtyard pool by Elite Pools neatly fits the confined space. Designed to harmonise with the house, the pool and landscaping take on a French provincial style with simple lines and earthy tones.

The landscaping is minimalist yet rich in texture, making the front garden a versatile space that allows for personal touches to be added to create a unique and intimate space. The pool adds to this appeal with its graceful ceramic Ocean Blue tiles and

bluestone coping.

As beautiful as it is functional, the pool carries the load of the blockwork walls built to encapsulate the pool. Easy access into the pool is provided by tiled steps and allows for gentle swims and relaxing leisure time.

A PCC2000 in-floor cleaning system, cartridge filtration and variable speed pump ensure the pool is easy to maintain. Solar heating adds a sustainable element while keeping the water at an idyllic temperature year round.

Sophisticated and classic, this pool is nothing short of an elite design.



Infinite indulgence

LUXURIOUS ADDITIONS COUPLED WITH FUNCTIONAL FEATURES MAKE THIS THE ULTIMATE RESORT-STYLE POOL

This stunning pool encapsulates resort-style living while ensuring family members of all ages can enjoy its outstanding features. Designed and built in collaboration with the home owners, Daydream Pools and Spas has created the perfect family haven without compromising on luxury.

Positioned in a split-level backyard, the outdoor area has been expertly crafted to ensure optimal usage of space. The pool is built on the level above the tennis court

with a glamorous negative edge taking full advantage of the backyard's impressive aesthetics. As swimmers descend into the pool, the water spills over an impeccably mosaic-tiled wall facing the tennis court before reaching river rocks and a lush garden bed on the lower level. The water is then cleverly circulated back into the pool.

The space is imbued with a tranquil ambience in keeping with the resort-style look. Sandstone pavers and a timber deck set off the vibrant colours of the pool interior,

coming together to create a lavish and sensually inviting retreat for the pool owners.

The ultimate in family living, this pool provides swimming options for all levels. Adjoining the main pool is a 3m x 4m beach area for the owners' young children to enjoy, allowing them the opportunity to familiarise themselves with water safety before comfortably graduating to the main pool. In-built garden beds in the beach space add to the pool's welcoming holiday feel.



AT A GLANCE

HOUSE BUILT BY: Medallion Homes
HEATING: Solar system by Zane and gas heater by Waterco Mastertemp
CLEANING: Zodiac V4
FILTRATION: Pumps and chlorination by Astral / Hurlcon, Waterco sand filter
COPING: ECO Outdoor Living pool coping
TILES: Kalah Pty Ltd
PAVING: ECO Outdoor Living
LIGHTING: Pool lights are Spa Electrics flush-mounted multi-colour
FENCE: Edge Water Glass Solutions



The team at Daydream Pools and Spas take no shortcuts when it comes to quality, one of the many reasons these pool owners made the choice to use their services for a second time. Featuring both solar and gas heating systems by Zane and Waterco Mastertemp respectively, as well as a Zodiac V4 cleaning system, when you choose Daydream Pools and Spas you are ensured functionality as well as style. Dripping with appeal, this pool is perfect for those drawn to the finer things in life, precious time spent with the family included.

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Conceived by Dave Malone and Danny Park, both with over 20 years of experience in the

pool industry, Daydream Pool and Spas has been in operation for eight years. The company builds between 35 and 50 concrete pools a year, plus five to 10 renovations around South Australia, specialising in Negative Edge Pools.

Daydream Pool and Spas is South Australia's most awarded concrete pool builder, with more than 50 state awards and eight national awards. This year, Daydream Pool and Spas was named SA Pool of the Year, proving its attention to detail and customer service are second to none.

The ultimate in luxury

A CONTEMPORARY DESIGN COMBINED WITH
BREATHTAKING VIEWS MAKES THIS POOL A STANDOUT



With a dazzling view of Sydney Harbour, this pool exudes the ultimate in luxury and modern design. Working closely with the client's architect and landscape designer, Crystal Pools, built this pool to ensure the breathtaking view remained the focal point of this pool.

The pool blends harmoniously into its position with use of glass fencing by Dimension One Glass Fencing, and a negative wet-edge feature to the house side. An attached spa with six stainless-steel jets and blower meets the clients' request for a space of relaxation, while

the 8m x 2m pool can be used for exercise. A storeroom below the pool serves to further utilise the limited space.

Aqua-Quip spectrum LED lights, together with soft-blue tiles, bring the pool to life at night, creating a glamorous ripple effect over the smooth water. Travertine paving creates easy accessibility to the pool while matching the style of the newly renovated house.

The pool hosts energy-saving features utilising the home's existing heat exchange system, and recycles all of the water used with an auto top-up system.

AT A GLANCE

POOL BUILT BY: Crystal Pools

FILTER AND PUMP: AstralPool matching eco pump and sand filter

SANITISATION: AstralPool fully automatic saltwater chlorinator

HEATING: Gas-boosted heater

UNDERWATER LIGHTING: Aqua-Quip spectrum LED lighting

PAVING AND COPING: Travertine paving

FENCING: Frameless glass fencing by Dimension One Glass Fencing



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The project was not without its challenges, with the Calibre Pools team having to dig up large concrete slabs, but the end result was clearly worth the effort.
The slightly off rectangular shape is a 7 x 4 x 1.8m pool that was exclusively designed by the Calibre Pools team to fit into the owner's desired space. Built for entertaining and exercise, the pool nestles comfortably into the pre-existing garden which features a tennis court and entertaining area. The frameless glass fence surrounding the pool ensures it is visible from all angles.
A wet edge runs along the side of the pool, ensuring a smooth transition between the different spaces. A swim-out ledge is also incorporated so swimmers can relax and take in the beautiful surroundings.
The pool is fully tiled with glass mosaics that imbue the water with a natural but mystical appearance. Spa Electrica LED niche lights and solar heating keep the pool warm and inviting during the cooler months, guaranteeing it's used to its full capacity.

AT A GLANCE
HEATING: Solar heating
CLEANING: Dolphin HT Robotic
FILTRATION: Astral salt chlorinator
COVERING: 500 x 500mm granite
TILES: Glass mosaic
LANDSCAPING: Calibre Pools and Landscapes
LIGHTING: Spa Electrica LED niche
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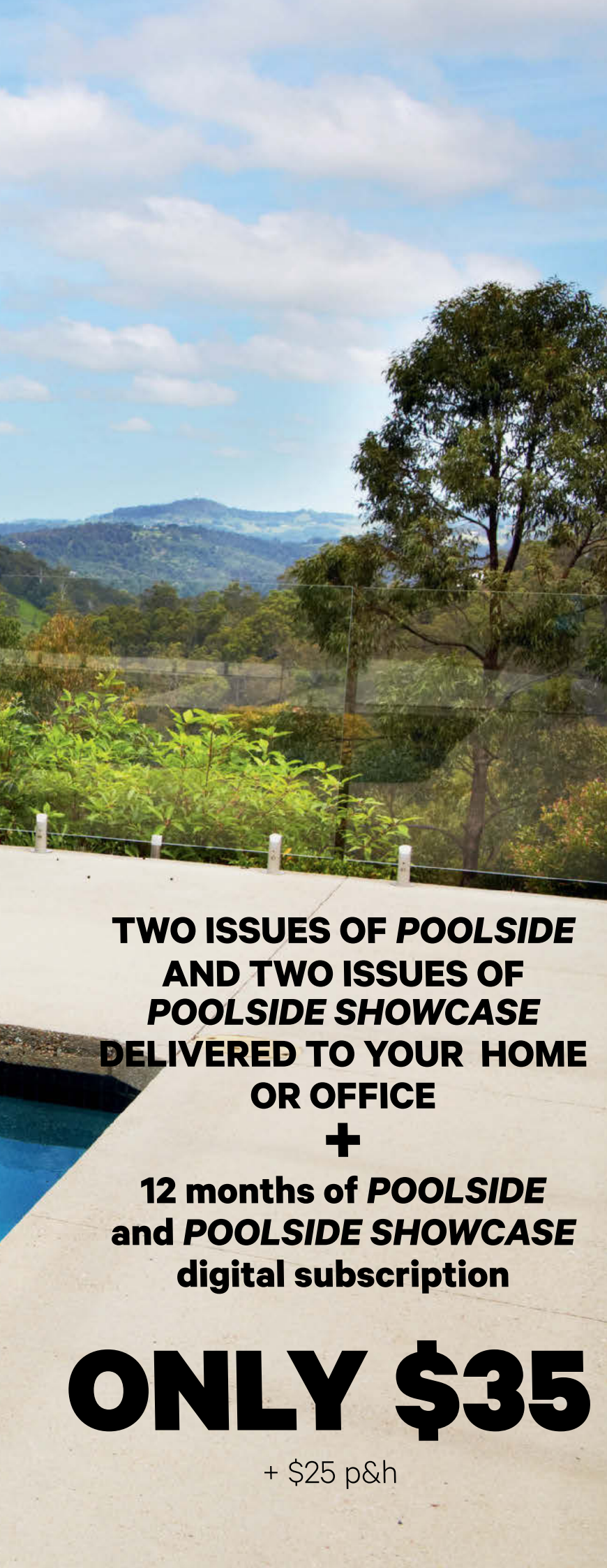


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A photograph of a modern swimming pool at dusk. The pool is in the foreground, with its blue water reflecting the ambient light. A glass fence with metal posts runs along the edge of the pool. Behind the fence is a paved patio area with outdoor furniture, including a table and chairs. In the background, there are large, leafy trees and a modern house with large windows and a balcony. The house's interior lights are on, and some light is visible through the windows. The sky is a deep blue, suggesting twilight.

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AT A GLANCE

HEATING: Solar heating only

FILTRATION: Pentair cartridge filter

PAVING: Bluestone paving and surrounds

TILES: Swimple glass mosaic tiles

COPING: Bluestone

LIGHTING: Spa Electrics LED lighting

LANDSCAPING: Southern Cross took care of all surrounds, paving, fencing and lighting



Often, simple design concepts lead to great outcomes. Southern Cross Pools, in collaboration with the homeowners, has created an elegant, sleek pool built to last and bear witness to years of family fun.

Created to complement a newly renovated St Kilda home, this pool was designed with family in mind. The owners wanted to ensure the pool scaled well into the backyard; it features a built-in ledge for children to play on, offers a generous swimming area while still allowing ample lawn space for children to use. Straight, sleek lines enhance the home's design, which is reflected throughout the outdoor space.

Geometrically pleasing, this pool's vibrant blue interior, enhanced by LED lighting, contrasts beautifully with the rich green flora and cool bluestone paving, providing visual appeal and a beautiful view for home patrons.

Glass fencing around the pool, completed by Southern Cross Pools, provides the illusion of an open, flow-through space while ensuring the pool remains safely segregated.

Featuring simple waterline tiles and a shimmering quartz render, the Southern Cross Pools team worked hard to ensure this pool exudes elegance and quality. An advanced solar heating system means the pool is energy-efficient, while the Pentair cartridge filter and robotic cleaning device help to ensure its suitability for use all year round. Offering many services including landscaping and fencing, the team at Southern Cross Pools worked hard to present an impressive overall design package, not just a flawless pool.

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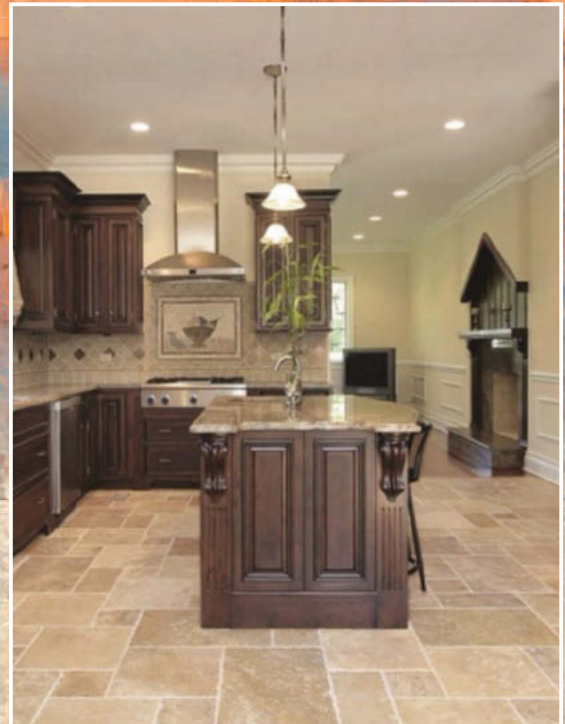
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POOL DESIGNED BY: Wayne Gibson from Miami Pools Melbourne & Pool Installations Australia

POOL BUILT BY: Pool Installations Australia

HEATING: Supreme Heatseeker Plus solar system, provisioned for the addition of a gas heater for future installation

CLEANING: Robotic pool cleaner

FILTRATION: Davey Crystal Clear cartridge filtration

COPING AND PAVERS: Completed by

Black Edge Paving, coping tiles are honed bluestone 600mm x 600mm x 30mm with an 80mm dropped face, available from a number of suppliers, including Pool Installations Australia

LIGHTING: Pal 1 Touch LED Wi-Fi remote-controlled lights with the iPhone app capability, two lights in the pool

FENCE: Semi-frameless glass fencing and safety gate

OUTDOOR FURNITURE: European-style sun lounges by Nadi



This stunning pool area could easily be mistaken for a poolscape on a cruise liner, with its sparkling interior and glamorous entertaining space. The owner wanted to create a resort-style pool and leisure space that the whole family could enjoy, and which would complement his existing indoor and outdoor living areas.

The challenge was the sloping site the pool was intended for. After seeing the high-quality pool Miami Pools Melbourne & Pool Installations Australia P/L had created for his brother, the owner knew who to call to make his vision a reality.

Wayne Gibson from Miami Pools Melbourne & Pool Installations Australia P/L took on the challenge like true experts and came up with a solution to elevate the pool and bring it to meet the existing deck. Using an 8m Miami Lifestyle standard pool shell, the team built a retaining wall around the outside of the pool so that it essentially sits in its own pod — half in ground, half out of ground. The pool was then backfilled, as if it were an in-ground pool, with a concrete bond beam on top of the pool edge to the retainer wall, tying all of the components together. The result is a pool that fits effortlessly into the contemporary backyard.

Honed bluestone drop-faced pavers line the perimeter of the pool, meeting the existing timber decking and leaving plenty of space for entertaining and soaking up the sun. A beach-style hut was added to the far side of the pool to provide shade for swimmers.

The crisp blue pool interior is kept clean with a robotic pool cleaner and Davey Crystal Clear cartridge filtration system, creating the perfect space for a refreshing splash. Pal 1 touch LED lights bring the pool to life at night with Wi-Fi remote control and iPhone capability. A Supreme Heatseeker Plus solar system keeps the pool at the ideal temperature during the cooler months.



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Wayne Gibson, director and principal of Miami Pools Melbourne and Pool Installations Australia P/L, has more than 10 years of experience in sales, design and installation of swimming pools.

Starting the company in 2004, Wayne has now installed more than 600 pools in the Melbourne metropolitan area. He has also designed his own innovative "pool trolley" which can be used to transport pools easily into the client's yard, where access to site is limited or would require very expensive heavy cranes.

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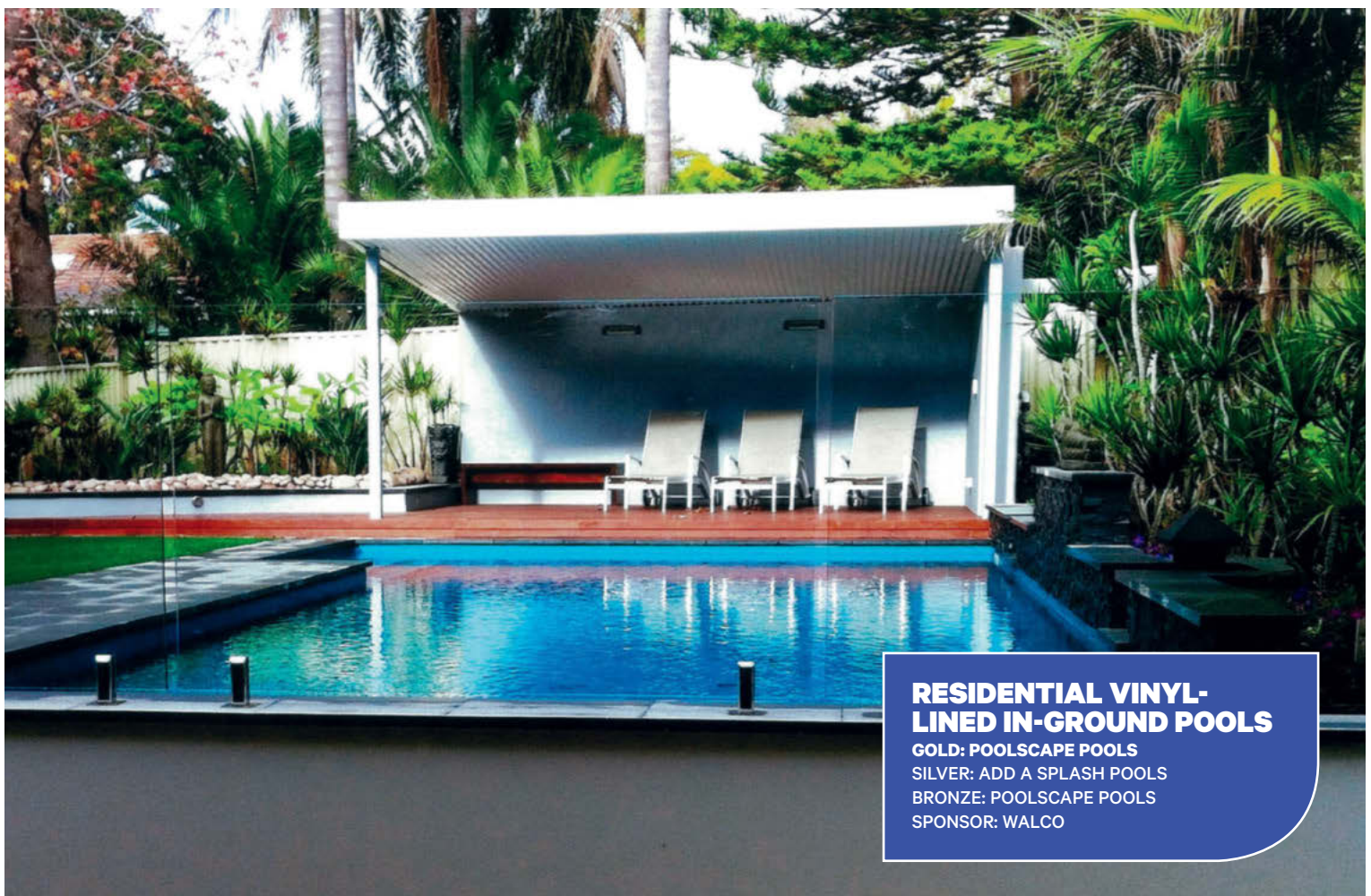
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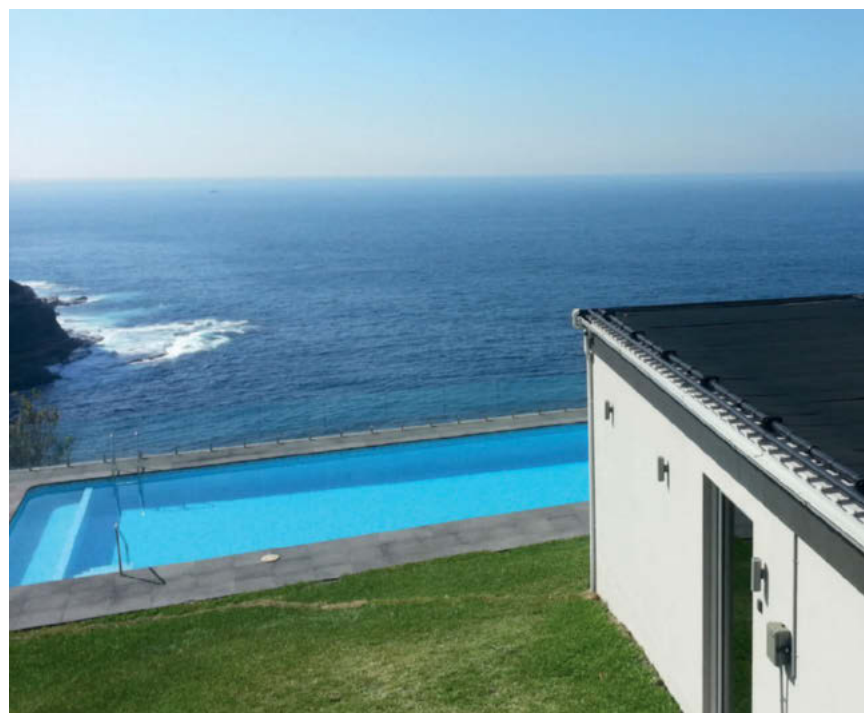
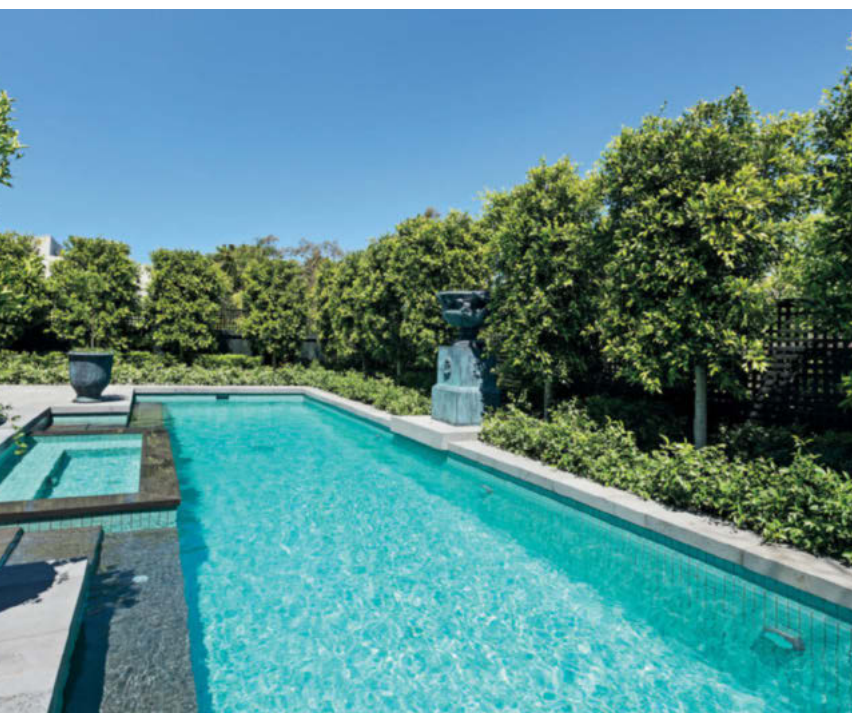

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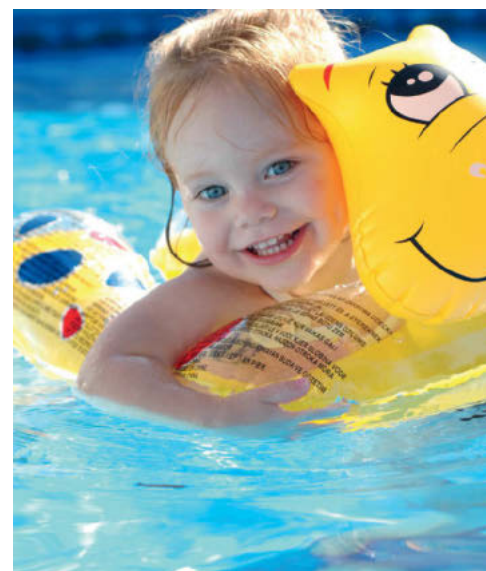
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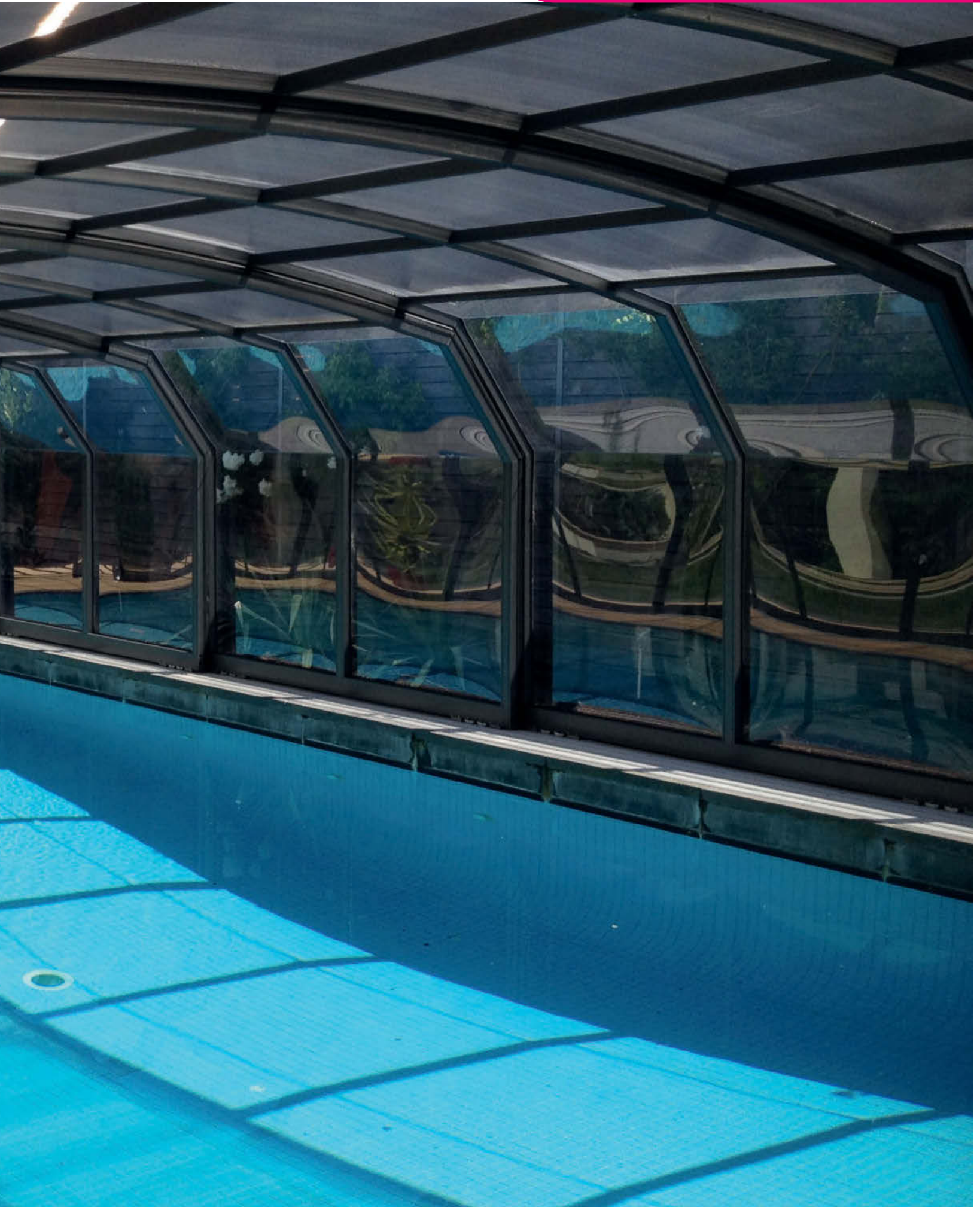
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ENSURE YOUR POOL IS ENERGY EFFICIENT
AND LOW MAINTENANCE



Swimming pools have gone through a significant design and construction renaissance. No longer are they simply a hole in the backyard to entertain the kids; they are now, quite often, architectural and design masterpieces. While significant time is spent considering design components such as water features, it's essential that proper consideration be given to functional elements, including pumps and cleaning systems.

Modern-day pools no longer have to be high maintenance and a drain on resources. Products such as Paramount in-floor cleaning systems and the Pentair IntelliFlo variable speed pump, available through Pool-Water Products, provide significant time and energy savings, contributing not only to your hip pocket, but to environmental sustainability.

The effectiveness of Paramount in-floor cleaning and circulation systems provides you with a sparkling-clean pool, regardless of its size or shape. The systems operate by strategically pushing water throughout the pool, distributing heat and chemicals and directing debris into a convenient collection zone, removing the need for an unsightly suction or pressure cleaner. Paramount in-floor systems are installed by qualified independent pool builders selected for their quality craftsmanship and high level of customer service.

The Paramount in-floor system, coupled with an energy-efficient pump such as the Pentair IntelliFlo VS (recently introduced by Pool-Water Products and Pentair to the Australian market), serves as the ultimate energy-efficient maintenance structure for your pool. Using variable-speed permanent magnet motor technology (the same as that used in hybrid cars), these pumps typically save the average pool owner more than 50 per cent on their pool's electrical running costs.

The typical swimming pool can require up to four pumps but, using the IntelliFlo VS, you can replace several pumps with just one and still achieve the optimum flow for every process. The long-term result is not only a smaller carbon footprint, but longer equipment life, lower daily running costs and more enjoyment.

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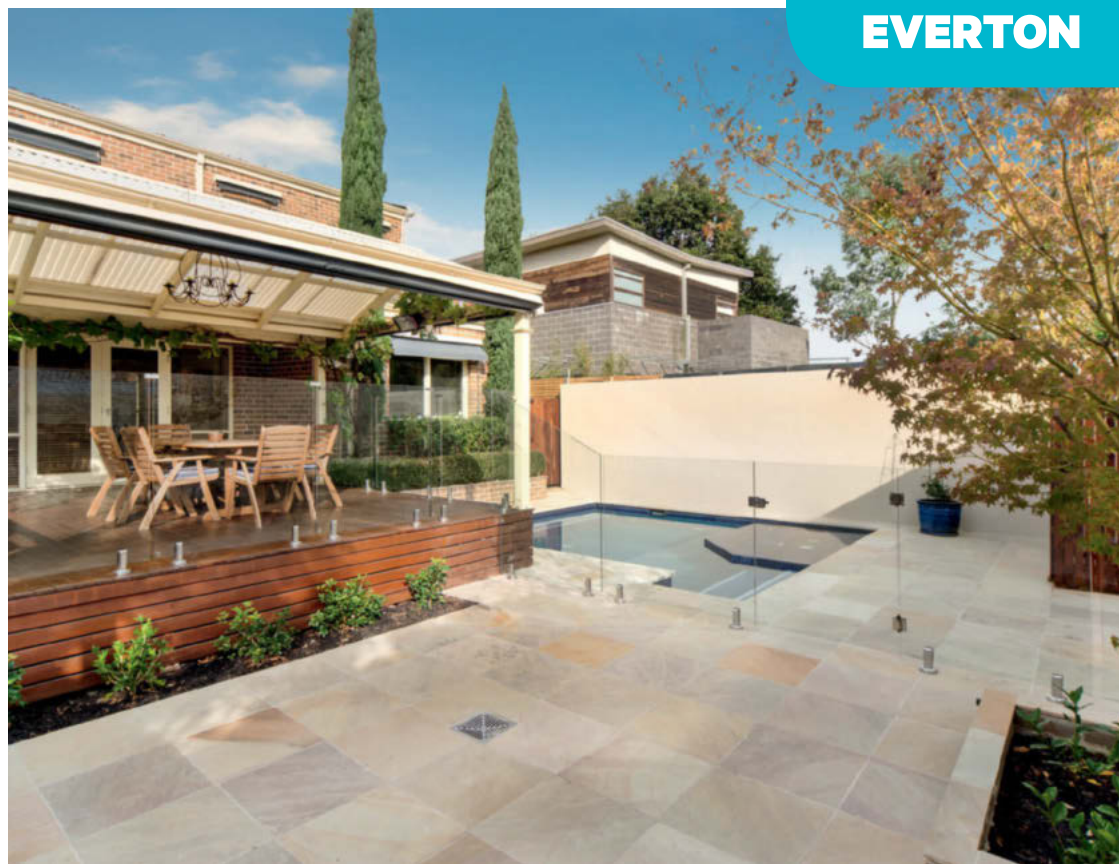
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When it comes to keeping your family and friends safe around your pool, the choice is clear. Everton pool fences has been supplying the DIY glass pool fencing and balustrade market with affordable solutions since 2009. The company was founded on the belief that a good DIY product design should be easy to install with a mate, look great, be trade quality and provide savings for the consumer without compromising on safety.

Offering the perfect combination of form and function, this stylish range of pool fences is Australian Standard-compliant and, best of all, the toughened safety glass panels offer uninterrupted panoramic views.

The most popular product in the range is the mini post pool fencing system. Its simplicity of design and the ease with which it can be retro-fitted to an outdoor space ensures you can create an affordable, high-quality fencing solution for all new and existing pool structures.

Choosing the Everton solution that is right for your family is a hassle-free process. The company's website features

a calculator that allows you to choose your preferred system and once you enter your requirements and dimensions, the calculator produces a shopping list and quotation that you can then take into your local Bunnings Warehouse to pick up or order the components.

If you're the type of person who prefers to do everything in-store, there are also easy-to-follow displays and an icon system that helps you to ensure you're choosing the correct, compatible components.

Everton glass pool fencing and balustrade products are the clear choice in DIY glass pool fencing systems and are distributed through Bunnings Warehouses nationwide. More information is available on the Everton website, a great place to start if you'd like to live happily Everton after.

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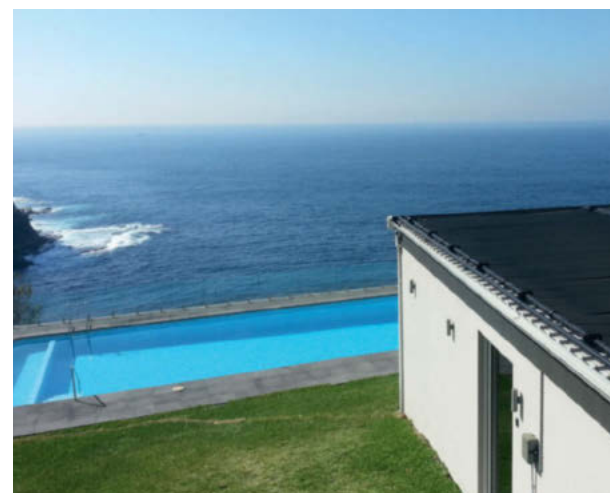
It's easy to get a free, no-obligation quote. A site visit performed by a local fully trained solar pool heating expert can give you an accurate assessment of the performance you can expect from a

Heliocol solar pool heating system. The size of the system needed will depend on many factors and the consultant should consider things like the volume of the pool, your location in Australia and the amount of wind across the pool.

Installing a Heliocol solar pool system gives you peace of mind. You can swim with pleasure and confidence knowing you have installed the number-one-selling system in the world, backed by a 25-year warranty.

Heliocol has the knowledge and experience to ensure your new system is sized and installed correctly and provides the back-up of the world's largest manufacturer and supplier of solar pool equipment.

Contact Heliocol today for a free, no-obligation quote. You'll get a clear idea of how a more enjoyable pool with a Heliocol heating system will enhance your lifestyle. Join the thousands of other Heliocol solar system owners who are already enjoying the solar pool experience.



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Creating a swimming pool to complement your lifestyle and aesthetic needs can be challenging. Now, your wish for a stylish, maintenance-free and energy-efficient pool has become much easier with the latest QuikClean in-floor cleaning systems.

QuikClean saves you time and money by cleaning your pool for you. Its unique venturi technology automatically cleans your entire pool with industry-leading effectiveness and efficiency because its advanced design allows it to operate on just a single pump.

QuikClean removes debris more economically than other systems and returns filtered water to your pool for superior cleaning and circulation. This saves you further time and money by improving chemical efficiency and water quality. Swimming is also more enjoyable because water temperature is evenly distributed.

QuikClean takes its cleaning and efficiency promise to the next level with QuikClean Xtreme, the only system powered by venturi cleaning heads, venturi skimmer and AVSC drain. QuikClean Xtreme venturi cleaning heads increase flow by 23 per cent and increase the cleaning zone by 33 per cent, without adjusting pump flow or energy use. This means more cleaning power for your pool and lower energy costs.

QuikClean systems are available in a range of stylish colours and feature unrivalled warranties. They deliver reliability, bold performance and an incredible return on investment for the pool owner.

The QuikClean range is proudly supported by Cooke Industries, a strong company with a history of award-winning innovation and an industry presence spanning four decades. Cooke Industries is a long-time SPASA member and is highly regarded throughout the pool industry for its Water Witch automatic water leveller and range of specialty products. Cooke Industries understands the needs of pool owners and has a network of building partners that will help make your dream a reality.



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- Starflek is a highly reflective aggregate that makes the pool water sparkle and reflect light

Smooth blue brilliance

A POOL SURFACE THAT DRAWS THE EYE

Make your pool the envy of everyone on your block with durable, long-lasting, deep-blue brilliance. Quartzon is a unique pool render with a range of exquisite colours that create stunning visual effects in pool water. It's the cleaner, richer colours and intense light reflections that make Quartzon so different from other pool surfaces.

Manufactured under controlled factory conditions, Quartzon pool interiors have been created specifically to create six shades of interiors from an indulgent deep blue to a crisp cool blue. Created using a refined combination of superior quartz and fine sands, as well as a revolutionary additive called Starflek, the finish bounces light from the sun. A Quartzon pool with Starflek will create a beautiful, shimmering haven, capturing and reflecting light.

Quartzon uses blue aggregate, which ensures a richer blue colour with a smooth, natural finish that is gentle on the skin. Available in six luminous shades of blue there is sure to be a colour which will impress.

The surface of your pool is subject to constant UV and chemical exposure, which is

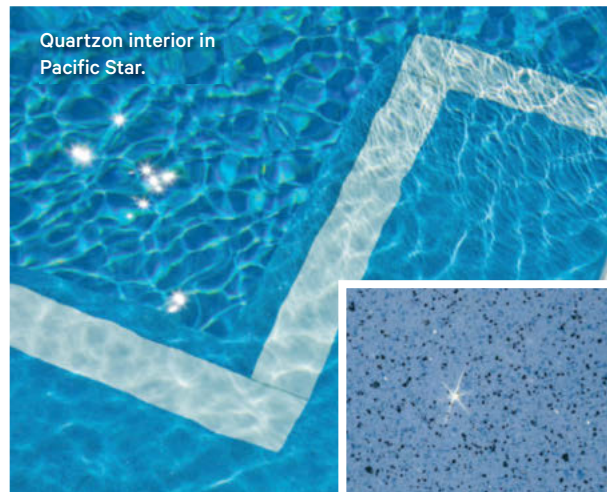
why Quartzon has durable pigments to create its long-lasting blueness. These metallic pigments are manufactured under very high temperatures to ensure they last under the toughest of conditions.

Made from the finest-quality ingredients including white quartz sand, pure-white cement and premium ceramically coated aggregates, a smoother, more natural brilliant finish is achieved that is as durable as it is radiant and easy to clean. Unlike other products in its field, Quartzon is pre-blended in a factory, ensuring a consistent colour that's difficult to achieve when mixed on site.

Made from the finest-quality ingredients, a smoother, more natural brilliant finish is achieved that is as durable as it is radiant and easy to clean. With more than 35,000 Quartzon pools constructed in Australia since 1995, you know you're investing in a high-quality product you can trust. And for your peace of mind, all Quartzon colours are guaranteed by the manufacturer (River Sands Pty Ltd) not to fade.

With six award-winning blue colour choices available and three natural colour choices, you're sure to find an option that will satisfy your senses and add that extra brilliance to your pool.

Quartzon interior in Pacific Star.



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Shower in style

INTRODUCING THE NEW RANGE OF TCI SHOWER PRODUCTS

Top Cope International (TCI) has been supplying manufactured components to the automotive, commercial and construction industries since 1997. Now, TCI Shower Products introduces a new range of stainless-steel products, including a sleek and contemporary outdoor shower post. Rather than hiding your poolside shower in the corner, make it a feature of the pool's design. Available in mirror and brushed 316 marine-grade

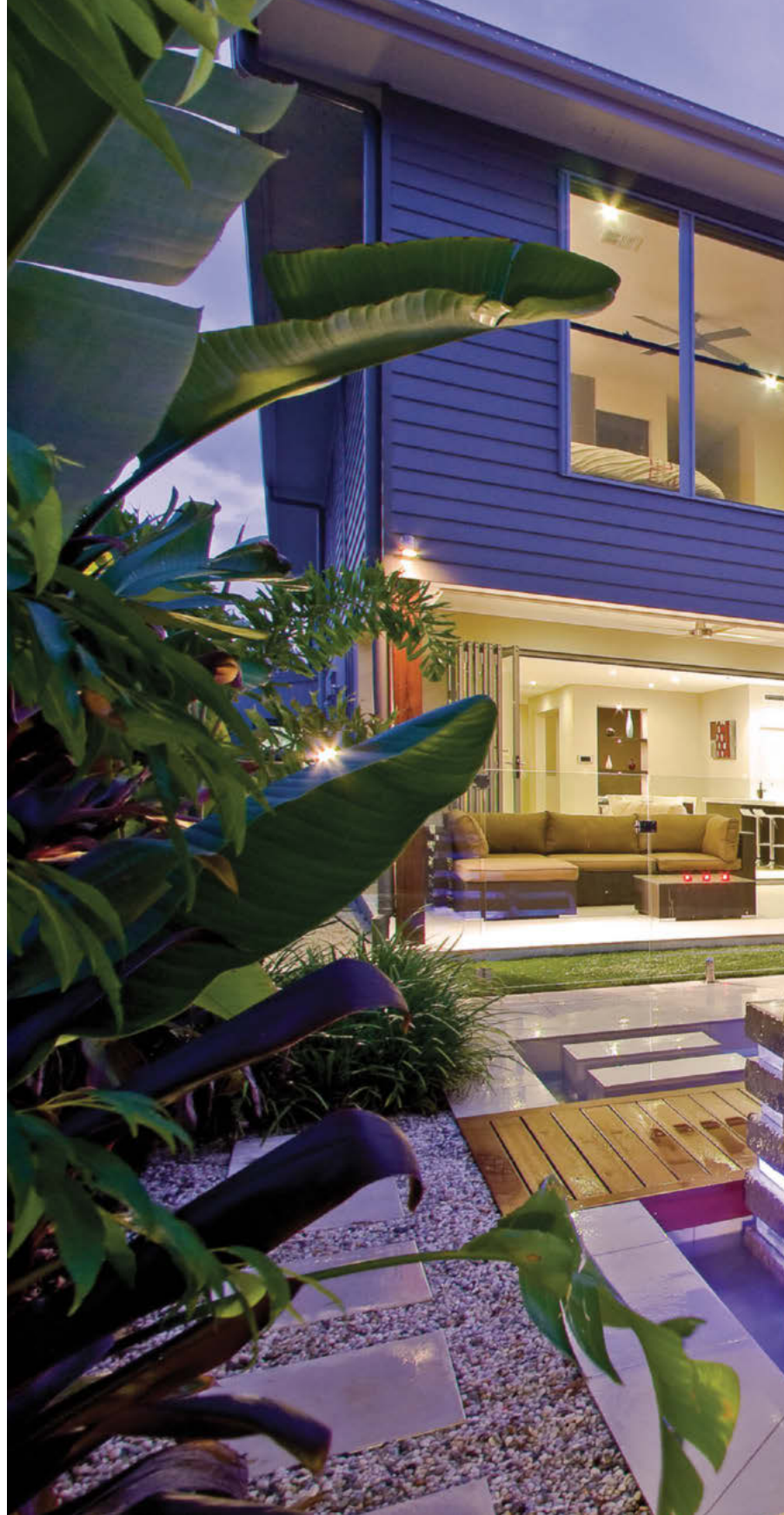
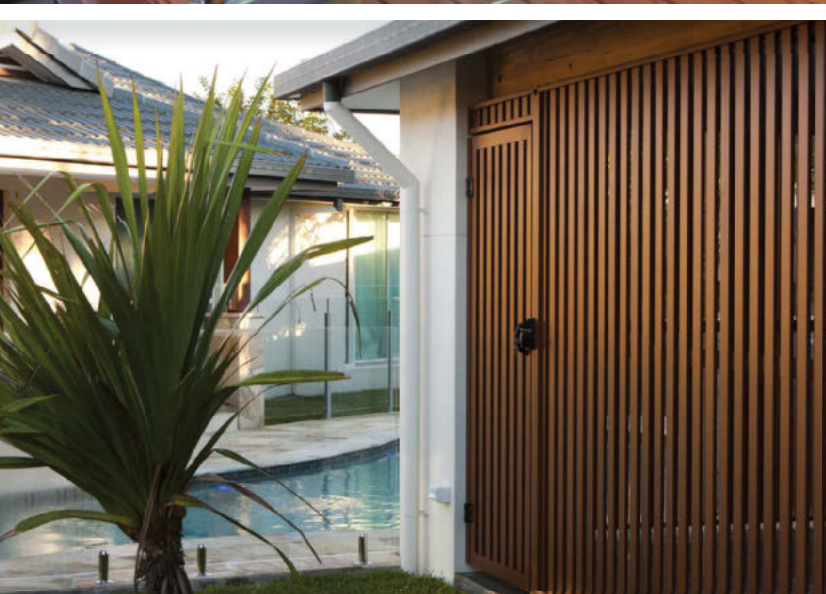
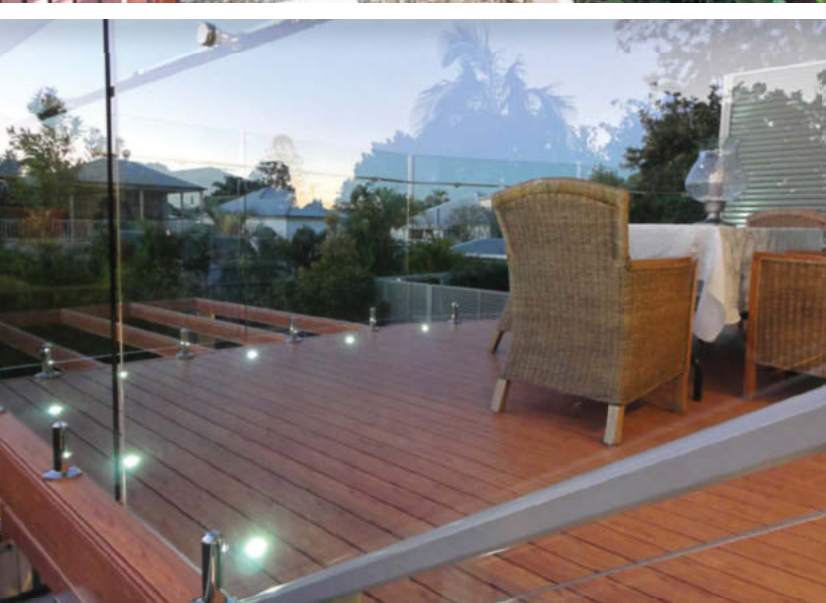
stainless steel, TCI's shower posts come in two designs: Contour, a contemporary curved design; and Rita, a sleek upright model.

TCI can manufacture custom-made products to suit your outdoor furnishings in a wide range of colours to suit your taste. The range also includes a stainless-steel shower channel, available in different lengths and lid designs; and the TCI Modular Grate, which has a flexible design, allowing for various lengths, corners and drains as required.

Products are available through leading plumbing suppliers.

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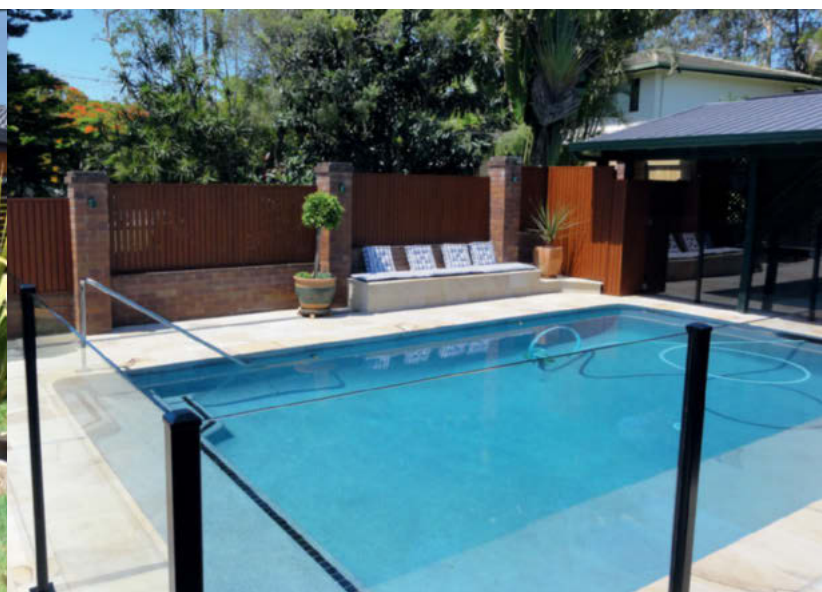
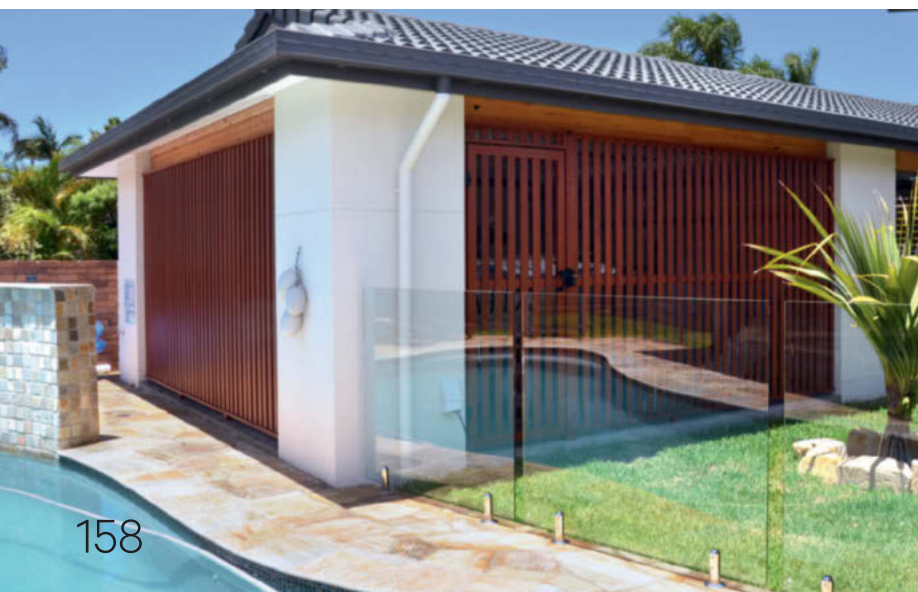


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If the look of natural timber decking appeals to you but the maintenance aspect doesn't, Knotwood's timber-lookalike aluminium decking is the answer.

"Knotwood's aluminium decking will give you a deck that looks as if you installed it all in one piece," says Knotwood's Brendan Galway. This seamless effect is made possible because the aluminium is extruded, a process of pressure-forcing heated aluminium through a die so that it takes on the cross-sectional shape of that die. This also means the decking can be made to your exact specifications.

"When you use extruded aluminium to create a deck on the second or third storey of your home, you have a deck that doesn't have any gaps so the area underneath is perfect for storage or for a car park," Brendan adds.

There are many more reasons why aluminium makes the perfect decking material. It is lightweight, easy to install, much stronger than wood (so it can hold heavier loads), impervious to insect infestations and you don't have to worry about splitting or rotting. This makes extruded aluminium ideal in colder regions. "Even in the coldest temperatures it does not get brittle and crack, so you will have a deck that will last you a lifetime," says Brendan. "If you live in an area where there is lots of snow in winter, extruded aluminium decking is able to withstand very heavy falls. And if you don't want to bother with shovelling snow, the decking allows you to safely install heating strips so that any snow that lands will melt right away."

Aluminium is also practical in warmer climates. "The decking stays cool in the summer," continues Brendan. "You won't burn yourself when you touch it during the hottest part of the day. This is because the properties of aluminium allow for the maximum dissipation of heat."

These same properties also make aluminium decking ideal for use on patios and balconies where you intend to have a fire pit or patio heater. Since aluminium is fire-resistant, there is no risk that your decking will ignite or burn. Another plus is you don't have to worry about any allergic reactions as the decking material is hypoallergenic.

"In addition, aluminium decking simply does not rust or rot," Brendan adds. "This means it won't cost you a fortune to keep it looking new and it is mildew-resistant so you don't need to use special cleaners to prevent the build-up of mould."



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Intricate details all combine to create a grand finish

THE BEAUTY OF QUARTZON IS
MORE THAN SKIN DEEP

Quartzon pools are known for their brilliant, continuous colour, so what exactly is it that makes Quartzon pool surfaces different to others? The secret to their brilliant colour finishes begins in the lab with meticulous care and scientific knowledge.

It is the smaller details that make the most remarkable differences to a finished product. Advanced colourfast technologies are used to ensure the colour of their pool surfaces never fade and retain their brilliance for years to come.

“Via a process known as ceramic firing, a unique ceramically coloured particle additive is created,” divulges Victor Guerra, River Sands Technical Manager. “To do this, our technicians fuse colour pigments onto sand particles at a high heat before adding the combined components to each of Quartzon’s nine different colours,” he adds. Mixing into the product, the coloured ceramic adds an element of visual contrast to the pool’s surface. The additive accentuates the Quartzon colours while highlighting the quality of its high-density make-up by drawing attention to the minute details of its premium ingredients.

With its delicate and carefully crafted combination ensuring blue brilliance and allure from every angle, each inch of a Quartzon pool surface is set to impress.



AT A GLANCE

- Ceramically coloured Regal Stone particles are added to give a more natural and interesting blue look to the pool interior
- Tasteful glittering reflective particles are additional ingredients in the mix
- A Quartzon finish is ideal for both salt and chlorinated water conditions, and can be used for new or existing concrete pools
- Will withstand the effects of sun and chemicals
- Manufactured at a NATA-quality-assured factory
- Choose from six shades of blue, a natural sandstone finish or a “waterfall pond” blue grey

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Raypak's range of Australian-manufactured residential pool heaters is capable of heating the biggest or smallest of pools, extending your

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- Suitable for either indoor or outdoor installations



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Troubleshooting a Raypak Pool & Spa Gas Heater has never been easier. The Raypak has onboard diagnostic controls that let the user and the service professional know what is going on with the heater at all times. In the unlikely event that a problem develops, the digital display easily points out the problem and the probable cause. It's like having a service technician built into every heater.



RAYPAK SPA HEATER — SPARTAN 131

The Spartan 131 is a purpose-built spa heater, powder-coated to withstand the harshest operating conditions. Additionally, the Spartan provides an extensive list of standard features:

- Digital thermostat display
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- Energy-saving hot-surface ignition
- Polymer headers for longer life
- Remote-control available as an option
- Service code diagnostics
- Child-lock function



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Up in lights

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With the latest in LED technology, the Retro Series of lights offers brighter illumination than a 100W halogen globe, while using less than 12W of energy.

Updating your pool lighting can also reduce your energy consumption drastically. For example, a simple upgrade from a Halogen light to an LED will achieve a reduction in energy consumption of up to 90 per cent, significantly reducing your running costs. Spa Electrics uses only the highest-quality components to ensure elite levels of efficiency can be achieved while still providing an exceptionally bright light.

Installing brighter pool lights is not only aesthetically attractive, it also creates a safer poolside area. With a brighter light in the pool, swimmers and people outside the pool have greater visibility and can clearly see into the pool at night.

Spa Electrics has a dedicated team of consultants available to help pool owners identify the most suitable light for their pool and can then pool owners to the closest shop or distributor.

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The automatic cleaning and circulation systems, PCC2000 and PV3, also save on chemical and energy costs. The regular circulation of the water, optimizes the operation of the pool for better energy consumption through significantly reducing the evaporation of both the chemicals and pool water, not only saving you money but providing you with a more eco friendly pool.

Pool-Water Products, the Australian distributor for Paramount Systems PCC2000 and PV3, ensure that only the best builders are trained and licensed to install the systems. For more information including a list of Authorised PCC2000 and PV3 dealers go to www.poolwaterproducts.com.au



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If you want to provide your family with an effective and safe way of enjoying the pool or spa without harsh chemicals, SwimFresh is the solution. A leader in the development of the purest oxygenated water purifier on the market, SwimFresh's revolutionary oxy silver purifier works to sanitise, heal, clean and enhance pool and spa water for the most invigorating and refreshed feeling.

Unlike other technologies, SwimFresh's Silver Standard water purifier offers improved sanitation by using natural antibiotics. The intense purification of the water provides a smooth and silky feel, setting SwimFresh apart from the rest by creating the most natural and pleasant swimming experience.

Silver ions and supercharged H₂O oxygen are continuously released during the pump operation, working together to kill any bacteria. This is a great way to purify your pool water without toxic chemicals polluting it. Silver is a natural antiseptic and SwimFresh is so confident in its technology that it even claims the water will be safe enough to drink once purified by this system.

What's even better is that SwimFresh's oxy silver purifier is made and manufactured in

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- No fading of swimwear
- No need to shower after swimming
- Ozone leaves a crystal-blue tint in the water and oxygen bubbles that are visible to the eye
- Reuse the water on gardens and lawns as ozone encourages healthy foliage and growth.





Clear and simple

IF YOU'VE GONE TO THE EFFORT OF CREATING A BEAUTIFUL POOL AND ENTERTAINMENT AREA FOR YOUR HOME, WHY SPOIL IT WITH AN UNATTRACTIVE FENCE?

GlassfenceInstallation.com and Glassfence.com.au are at the forefront of fencing design, using refined brackets developed to stretch the limits of function and design to complement sleek glass fencing.

The companies use Mergelock brackets, which have evolved over five years of intense development and testing, resulting in unsurpassed technological and aesthetic advances. They provide maximum strength with minimal material usage and are also designed with your family and budget in mind. They are slim and steeply angled, ensuring there are no footholds for children to find and climb up on.

The inside of the bracket contains a patented tensioning mechanism built for safety and endurance, while the outside is elegant and simple. The result is a strong and stylised bracket, mirror-finished so it reflects its background and effectively blends in with your colour scheme.

The brackets don't require holes to be cut into your glass panels, meaning the glass retains its full strength and is able to stand up to the elements as well as family members and pets.

The installation process requires specialised tools and professional handling, however with the unique Acculine method, perfect panel alignment of the fence is assured. Do justice to your glass fencing and make it as sophisticated and functional as your pool with Mergelock Glass Attachment Systems.



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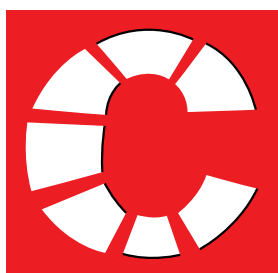
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 16-20 | <input type="checkbox"/> 36-40 | <input type="checkbox"/> 56-60 | <input type="checkbox"/> 76-80 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 21-25 | <input type="checkbox"/> 41-45 | <input type="checkbox"/> 61-65 | <input type="checkbox"/> 81-85 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 16-30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 46-50 | <input type="checkbox"/> 66-70 | <input type="checkbox"/> 85+ |

2. GENDER

- ☐ Male ☐ Female

3. HOUSEHOLD INCOME

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Less than \$50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000-\$125,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000-\$75,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$125,000-\$150,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$75,000-\$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$150,000+ |

4. ARE YOU RESEARCHING FOR A POOL PROJECT?

- ☐ Yes ☐ No

5. WHAT KIND OF POOL PROJECT DO YOU HAVE?

- ☐ Small — spa/plunge pool + surround
☐ Medium — pool + surround
☐ Large — pool + surround

6. HOW MUCH DO YOU EXPECT TO SPEND ON YOUR POOL PROJECT?

- ☐ <\$25,000
☐ \$25,000-\$50,000
☐ \$50,000-\$75,000
☐ \$75,000-\$100,000
☐ \$100,000+

7. FOR RESEARCH PURPOSES, HAVE YOU USED ANY OF THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR QUEST FOR FINDING YOUR PERFECT POOL?

- ☐ Pool expos
☐ Home expo's
☐ Magazines
☐ Local newspapers
☐ General newspapers
☐ Local radio stations
☐ Google
☐ Facebook
☐ Word of mouth
☐ Signs on houses where projects are being constructed
☐ Letterbox flyers
☐ Friends recommendations

8. IF YOU HAVE PURCHASED POOLSIDE OR POOLSIDE SHOWCASE MAGAZINES, ARE YOU USING THEM FOR RESEARCH PURPOSES OR RECREATIONAL READING?

- ☐ Research ☐ Recreational reading

9. AT WHAT STAGE IN THE PROCESS DID YOU START BUYING MAGAZINES?

- ☐ Two years prior, when merely dreaming about a new pool
☐ At the start of the research process when searching for ideas
☐ Three months prior when looking for contractors

10. BELOW IS A LIST OF MEDIA THAT YOU MAY HAVE ENCOUNTERED WHILE DOING YOUR PROJECT. PLEASE TICK ALL THAT YOU USED

- ☐ Poolside magazine
☐ Poolside Showcase magazine
☐ Outdoor Design & Living magazine
☐ Outdoor Rooms magazine
☐ Backyard & Garden Design Ideas magazine
☐ Outdoor Living Product Guide
☐ Lifestyle Pools magazine
☐ Queensland Pools + Outdoor magazine
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11. WHEN DO YOU EXPECT TO COMPLETE YOUR POOL PROJECT?

- ☐ Within the next 3 months
☐ Within the next 3-6 months
☐ Within the next 6-9 months
☐ Within the next 9-12 months
☐ More than 12 months from now

12. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING HAVE YOU PURCHASED IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS AND/OR INTEND TO PURCHASE IN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS?

	HAVE PURCHASED WITHIN LAST 12 MONTHS	WILL PURCHASE IN NEXT 12 MONTHS
Pool filter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lighting	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Surfacing products	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Solar heating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor showers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pool covers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pool chemicals	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Skin-sensitive pool chemicals	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Landscape services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Landscaping products	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Decking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tiles	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor furniture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fencing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BBQ	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pool heating systems	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor heating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pool cleaners	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pool cleaning robots	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pool play equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Backyard play equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shade cover	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor room (structure)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor blinds	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water features	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pergola	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Plants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Outdoor entertainment unit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sauna	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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17. HOW MUCH DO YOU AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?

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18. WOULD YOU LIKE TO RECEIVE A FREE ENEWSLETTER PROVIDED BY POOLSIDE MAGAZINE? POOLSIDE & BACKYARD ENEWS COMES OUT FORTNIGHTLY AND FEATURES STUNNING POOLS, GREAT DESIGN IDEAS AND THE BEST POOL BUILDERS AND DESIGNERS

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13. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING HAVE YOU VISITED IN THE LAST 6 MONTHS?

- ☐ Pool shops
☐ Hardware store (Bunnings, Masters etc)
☐ Pool showroom
☐ Online

14. THINKING ABOUT YOUR OWN PROCESS, HOW IMPORTANT WERE THE FOLLOWING IN DECIDING YOUR PURCHASE:

- ☐ Quality
☐ Price
☐ Design
☐ Exclusivity
☐ Brand reputation
☐ Brand presentation
☐ Showroom/retail experience

15. TELL US A LITTLE ABOUT WHAT YOU LIKE ABOUT POOLSIDE MAGAZINE:

16. IF YOU HAVE ALREADY SELECTED YOUR POOL BUILDER, WHAT WAS THE DECIDING FACTOR?

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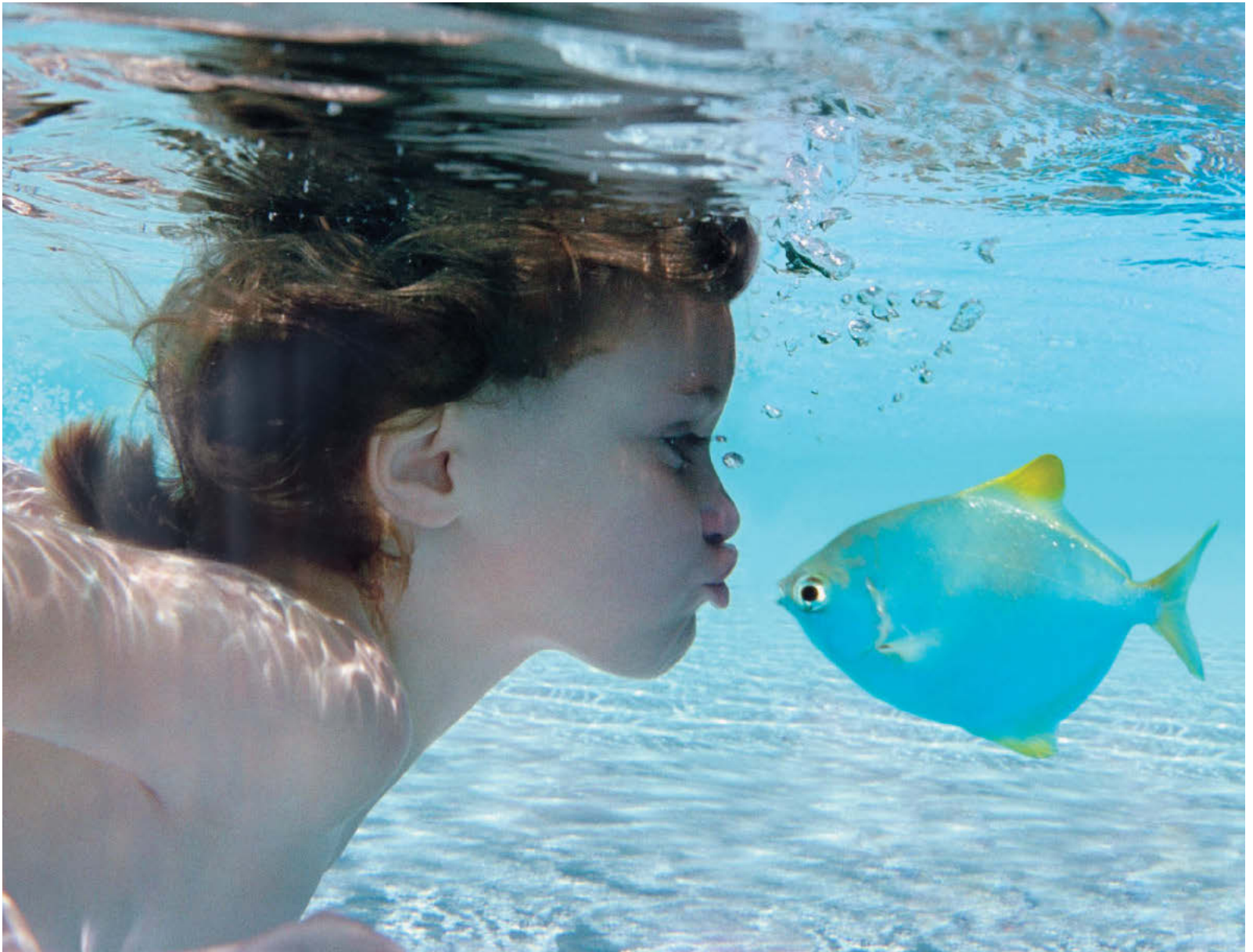
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